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Somehow I imagine that "removal" may be regarded by the hunter as a bargain price to pay for the signature of, say, a Bradman fresh from a century, and the risk only likely to add to the prestige of obtaining it.

An improvement I notice at Lord's is a white canvas screen, which seems to have replaced the ponderous wooden affair at the eastern end of the ground.

M. DE BITCHE'S PROMOTION

M. Borel de Bitché, the First Secretary of the Belgian Embassy, has, I learn, been promoted a Counsellor of Legation.

It will be remembered that M. de Bitché recently expressed the wish to punch Col. Seton Hutchinson on the nose for his statement that the late King Albert had not died an accidental death.

I am told, however, that M. de Bitché's promotion comes to him in

the normal course of seniority. It does not in any way indicate that the Belgian Government favours pugilism for diplomats.

MODEST MR. MACNAMARA

Mr. Macnamara, the defeated Conservative candidate at Upton, in taking the blame for defeat on his own shoulders, seems to have modelled himself on Nisus, who in the ninth book of the Aeneid nobly exclaims after the failure of an attack: "Here am I, the author of the deed. Turn your sword on me."

Such an attitude is rare among Parliamentary candidates.

The young Disraeli was anything but modest in defeat. When he stood in his first election as a Radical at High Wycombe and got 12 votes against Col. Grey's 20 he consoled himself with a lengthy speech in which he fiercely assailed the electors and attacked his enemies.

"The Whigs have cast me off, and they shall repent it," was what his end was reported to have been his parting shot.

MR. JACK JONES'S 'COMPLIMENT'

The figure of Asquith in defeat is one of the most pathetic in recent times. When in 1924 he lost his seat at Paisley, having been in Parliament, except for a break after the 1918 election, since 1886, he was found by a friend in his library. In silence he pointed to the passage:

Like an Arab old and blind

Some caravan has left behind.
Then blowing his nose loudly he left the room.

Generally the declaration of the poll is the signal for an exchange of compliments between victor and vanquished. But there are exceptions.

Mr. Jack Jones, the Socialist member for Silvertown, must hold the record for discourtesy. After the 1929 declaration, when he obtained 23,000 votes to Mr. William Teeling's 3,000, he said in his speech: "I have fought many stiff fights before, but never such a big stiff as Mr. Teeling."

A FOUR-MONTH REMOVAL

The Cambridge Librarian, Mr. A. F. Scholfield, has an arduous summer before him. On June 1 begins the removal of the books from the present building to their new quarters.

These are on the Backs. Special one-way traffic arrangements, I understand, have been made for

the fleet of lorries which are to transport the 1,250,000 volumes.

Even so, considerable congestion of Cambridge's narrow streets during May Week seems more than probable.

The task of removal which Mr. Scholfield told me last autumn had already been planned in detail, will take four months.

The Cambridge Library is the third largest in England, being surpassed only by the British Museum, which has 4,000,000 volumes, and the Bodleian with 1,500,000.

SMUGGLING FROM CHINA

The Opium Committee, at its meeting in the autumn of 1933, expressed its grave anxiety at information which appeared to indicate that not only is opium being smuggled from China but clandestine morphine and heroin factories are being set up in parts of that country. Whilst narcotic drugs of foreign manufacture were still flowing, though in a diminishing stream, into China, there was a tendency to establish clandestine factories in the interior of the country and also in the concessions, settlements, and leased territories. There was also evidence of the existence in Shanghai of a widespread organisation for the smuggling of drugs into the United States. Steps were therefore taken to promote closer co-operation between the Chinese authorities and the authorities of the Powers concerned to combat these evils.

The Opium Committee also drew attention to the conditions resulting from the opium monopoly established by the "de facto" authorities in Manchuria and Jehol. The Opium Committee pointed out that a large revenue was anticipated from this monopoly, and that there was grave risk lest it should result not only in further aggravation of the position in the territory but in the creation of a situation which may prove a menace to other countries.

JAPAN AND EMPIRE MARKETS

Mr. Runciman received Mr. Matsudaira, the Japanese Ambassador, at the Board of Trade yesterday afternoon and informed him of the Government's future policy on the question of Japanese competition. He made it plain that the British Government have no desire to enter into a trade war with Japan, but he also intimated that unless it was possible to arrive at an agreement as a result of discussions between the two Governments, steps would be taken in consultation with the Crown Colonies to restrict the importation of Japanese goods into the Colonial markets. The Japanese Ambassador undertook to communicate the views of the British Government to his Government in Tokyo, and it is unlikely that any statement will be made in the House of Commons until a reply has been received. As there are questions on the subject on the Order Paper on Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday, it will be possible to make a statement at any time next week.

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White mackintoshes are fashionable, but many are not so white as they once were. Owners will welcome, therefore, a cleaning tip from Miss Mary Downey, of Tramore, Co. Waterford.

Try this method of cleaning the garment. It is a good one.—Cut up two ounces of yellow soap and boil it in a little water until it is dissolved. Then let it cool a little and stir in half an ounce of powdered magnesia. Roll into a ball and let it harden.

Wash the mackintosh with this soap, using a nail-brush for the soiled parts. Rinse off the dirty soap, and dry with a clean cloth.

Glass

Delicate glass and china should be washed in tepid water to which a little ammonia has been added, then allowed to drain in a rack until dry. Finally, polish with a dry, soft towel. To loosen a glass stopper which has become firmly fixed rub a little oil round it and place it near a fire. Tap the stopper lightly and it will come out easily. When two tumblers have become fastened together, one inside the other, the safest way of disengaging them is to fill the inner glass with cold water and place the outer one in a bowl of warm water. The respective contraction and expansion which takes place will free the tumblers. A strong cement for mending broken glass or china is made by dissolving some shellac in sufficient spirits to give the consistency of treacle.

LORD CARDINAL'S NIGHTCAP.

This punch is called "The Lord Cardinal's Nightcap" and is taken from an ancient still-room recipe book.

Stick a large orange with twelve cloves, and roast till the skin becomes dark. Put in a small stew-pan half a pint of water, an egg-spoon of powdered mace, and the same quantity of each of the following spices:—ginger, cinnamon and allspice; also the thinly pared rind of a lemon. Boil for half an hour, strain and add the juice of a lemon, 1 lb. of powdered sugar, the roasted orange, and a bottle of tawny port.

FROZEN CHOCOLATE PUDDING

Stir the contents of one package of chocolate pudding into the contents of one 6-ounce can of evaporated milk. Add 1 cup of water and 1 cup sugar. Bring to a boil for one minute. Cool and add 1 teaspoon vanilla and 1 cup whipped cream. Pour into refrigerator trays and freeze, stirring several times in the process.

LIME FRUIT SALAD

1 package lime gelatine.
1 pt. boiling water.
2 tsp. vinegar.
1 cup walnut meats, broken.
1 banana finely cut.
1 orange finely cut.
Dissolve gelatine in boiling water. Add vinegar. Pour layer of clear gelatine mixture into ring mould. Chill until firm. Chill 1/2 of remaining gelatine mixture. When slightly thickened fold in nuts and fruit and add to firm layer in mould. Chill until firm. Cover with remaining clear gelatine mixture. Chill again until firm. Serve with mayonnaise.

CREAM OF CARROT SOUP

Prepare enough tender young carrots to make two cups of small cubes. Cover with enough water to boil gently until tender. Add one medium size onion, two tablespoons of butter, one-half cup dried bread crumbs, three cups bouillon (meat or chicken), one teaspoon salt, one tablespoon sugar, one cup top milk or cream. Cook the onion slowly in the butter for five minutes. Add the crumbs and bouillon, the liquid off the carrots, salt and sugar and simmer 20 minutes. Add carrots and cream. Reheat to boiling.

LIVER EN CASSEROLE

1 pound calf or beef liver (cut thick) 2 large onions, 1 green pepper, 1 stalk celery. Cut liver in cubes. Dice onions. Heat bacon, grease in pan, add liver and onions and sear. Then put in casserole. Add green pepper and celery. Now pour a can of tomato soup over all and add 1 can of water. Season to taste. Bake for 30 minutes.

JELLIED CARROTS AND PEAS

1 pkg. gelatine, lemon flavour.
1 cup boiling water.
1 cup vegetable stock or cold water.
3 tbsp. vinegar.
1 tsp. salt.
1 tsp. paprika.
1 cup carrots, diced.
1 cup of fresh cooked peas (or chopped string beans).
Dissolve gelatine in boiling water. Add stock, vinegar, salt and paprika. Chill. When slightly thickened fold in vegetables. Turn into moulds. Chill until firm.
Other vegetables in the same proportion as the above recipe may be used if desired.

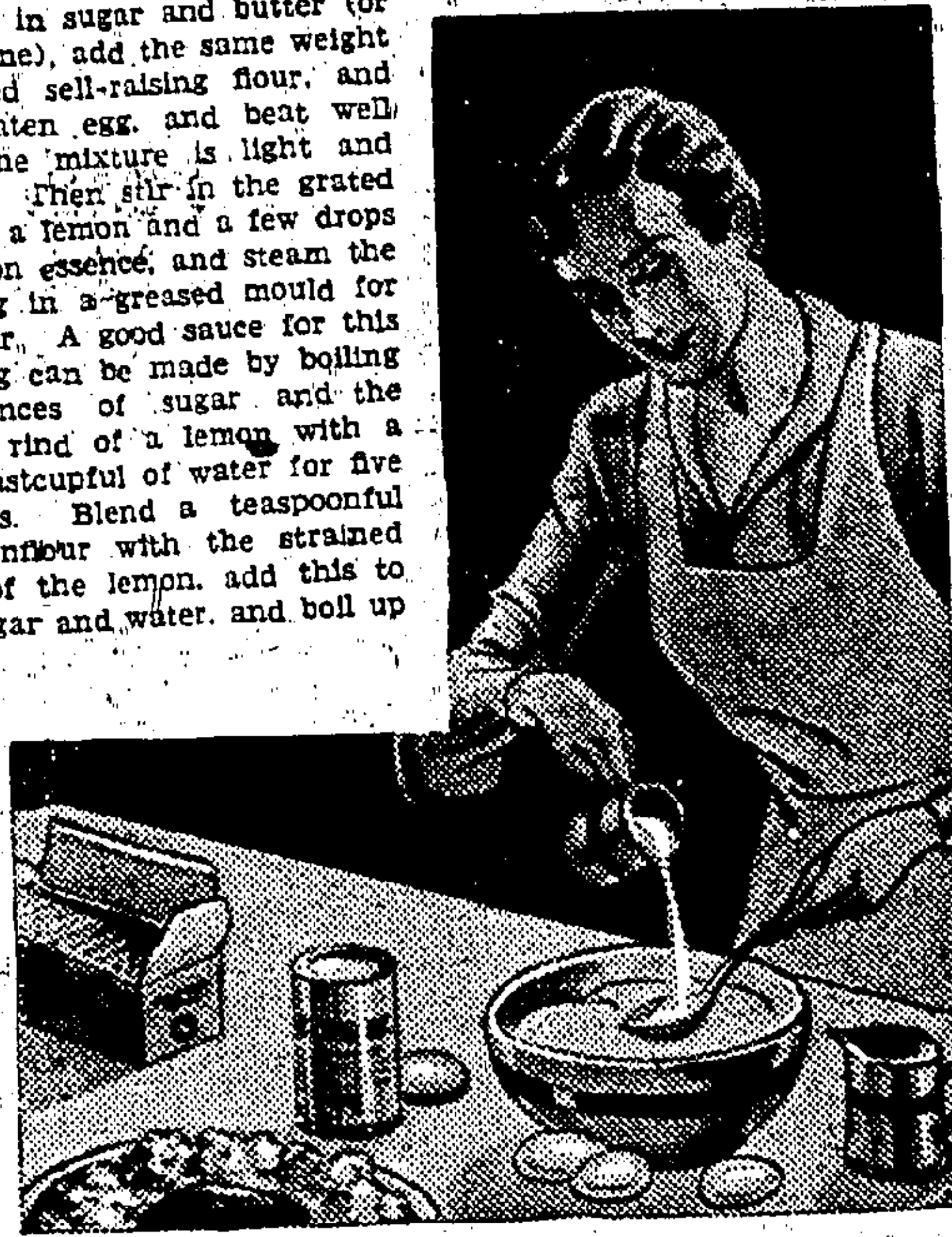
Readers' Recipes

Lemon pudding is light and is a delicious and appropriate sweet to follow a substantial meat pie. Cream together the weight of one egg in sugar and butter (or margarine), add the same weight of sifted self-raising flour, and the beaten egg and beat well until the mixture is light and creamy. Then stir in the grated rind of a lemon and a few drops of lemon essence, and steam the pudding in a greased mould for an hour. A good sauce for this pudding can be made by boiling two ounces of sugar and the grated rind of a lemon for five minutes. Blend a teaspoonful of cornflour with the strained juice of the lemon, add this to the sugar and water, and boil up again.

Cooked Complete

A cookery tip from Mrs. Black, of Hillington, that will save both time and temper:—There is nothing more difficult than to serve, without breaking it, a cauliflower, and so in my opinion making it look most unappetising.

To avoid this I wrap my cauliflower in a square of butter muslin, tying it corner to corner, with knot at top. I then put it into boiling salted water, and when cooked, I lift it out with a fork, leaving it to drain in colander, and the cauliflower is complete, just as before cooking.



WARM WEATHER HINTS

Baked Ham

Here is one way to prepare baked ham—and a way you'll testify has much to recommend it, once you've savoured its delicious, melting goodness.

10-lb. ham
4 qts. cold water
2 bay leaves
2 onion slices
12 whole cloves
Wash the ham thoroughly and add the rest of the ingredients. Cover and cook very slowly for 4 hours or until ham is tender when tested with a fork. Remove ham from the stock and cool until it can be handled, then remove excess fat and cut off the rind. Cover with the following mixture:

Sugar Mixture

18 whole cloves
1 cup dark brown sugar
1 cup spiced peach juice
Stick cloves in ham at regular intervals. Spread with the sugar and add juice. Cover with lid and bake 15 minutes.

EGGS SOMERSET

Eggs Somerset are delicious and unusual. For this three hard cooked eggs, sliced; one cup of tomatoes; one-third teaspoon paprika, one-third teaspoon salt; one teaspoon chopped onions; one teaspoon chopped celery; one-third cup grated cheese; one-third cup crumbs and one tablespoon butter are mixed and poured into a baking dish. Bake 20 minutes in a moderate oven. Serve in the dish in which they were baked. Serves three.

SCRAMBLED EGGS AND MEAT

3 tbs. bacon fat
4 eggs, beaten
3 tbs. milk
1 cup cooked diced meat
2 tbs. chopped onions
2 tbs. chopped celery
1 tsp. salt
1 tsp. paprika
Heat fat in frying pan, slowly add eggs, milk and meat. Cook slowly and stir constantly until mixture thickens. Add rest of ingredients and cook two minutes.

POACHED EGGS

Beat egg whites stiff. Have ready as many slices of buttered toast as there are persons to be served. Make a nest of the beaten egg white on each slice. Into this drop a little butter and the

From A Tin Of Peaches

Peaches figure prominently in favourite hot-weather sweets and are always welcome when the appetite is jaded. Try these recipes.

With Rice

Wash a gill of rice and cook in boiling salted water until tender; then drain.

Line a mould with rice, and in the centre put a pint of drained sliced peaches, sprinkled with two tablespoons of caster sugar, add a tablespoonful of butter cut into little pieces, and eight tablespoonsful of marmalade.

Cover with rice and bake for 25 minutes in a moderate oven. When cold turn out and serve with a sweet sauce.

Macaroon Souffle

Beat two egg-whites until stiff, then stir in six tablespoonsful of caster sugar. Rub some dry macaroons through a sieve and fold in a gill of crumbs, and half a pint of peach pulp—made by rubbing peaches through a strainer. Add two tablespoonsful of lemon juice.

Fill the bottom of a souffle dish with sliced peaches, put the meringue on top, and bake in a moderate oven until firm, serving as soon as possible.

Peach Pie

Fill a pie dish with sliced or halved peaches, cover with half a gill of their syrup and a dessertspoonful of lemon juice, and cover with short crust, mixed with milk. Bake in a hot oven for 15 minutes, and serve with cream.

Peach Conde

Wash four ounces of rice and cook until tender in half a pint of milk, sweetening with two ounces of caster sugar. The rice should absorb all the milk. Put in a pie dish and cover with halved peaches.

Make a meringue with three egg whites and three ounces of caster sugar, and put in the oven to brown.

unbroken egg yolk. Sprinkle salt over the top and place in moderate oven until the egg is set.

CREAM ALE

Add one pint of vanilla ice cream to the contents of one quart bottle of ginger ale. Shake thoroughly and serve.

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Fragile china should be packed in sawdust.

The Chinese have an excellent method of packing their finest glassware. They dip each piece in cold water, and while it is still wet they wrap it in tissue paper, put on with a twisting motion. It is then packed in excelsior or crumpled paper. The damp paper clings to the glass and thus prevents the pieces from slipping.

Narrow strips of paper pasted diagonally across pictures and mirrors will help to break up the vibrations.

A good packer is known by the way he packs books. Close packing breaks the bindings. It is best to stand the books on ends as in a bookcase. Do not use large boxes for books; they are easier handled in small ones on account of their weight.

And—be sure to label all boxes and barrels.

Label each box on its front edge—with a brief summary of the contents, or you will have to dislocate the whole pile when you want to get something out.

CINNAMON TOAST

Cinnamon Toast: for afternoon tea. Cut your bread into rounds about half an inch thick; toast crisply, and well buttered. When the butter has soaked in, sprinkle over each piece cinnamon and then caster sugar. Pop back under the grill for a few minutes and serve hot.

A sprinkle of cinnamon in milk puddings gives a delicious flavour, and the same quantity in any herb stuffing, as for veal, turkey, or chicken imparts a piquancy.

A quarter of a teaspoonful of cinnamon in glass of hot milk on going to bed quickly relieves and dispels a cold! So granny's larder always contained a tin of cinnamon (in powder).

EYESORE REMOVED

If you have several suit-cases and flat dress-boxes that through lack of cupboard space have to live in your spare room, it is a good plan to stack them neatly and place on top a piece of board cut to the size of the largest. A loose cover to hide the top and three sides of the pile may be made of glazed chintz, tetrone, or American oilcloth.

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Apple Soup.—Peel, core, and slice two large apples into one quart of soup stock, with a salt-spoon of pepper, three cloves, and a shake of cayenne. Cook till apples are tender, then rub through a sieve and reboil.

Apple Rings, cut a quarter of an inch thick and fried in the fat from sausages and bacon, make a jolly breakfast. (with the sausages and bacon, of course).

Apple Delight.—Sweeten one pint of apple puree to taste, and stir in the well-whipped yolks of two eggs. Bake for fifteen minutes, then cover with meringue made from the whipped whites of the eggs and two table-spoons of sugar. Brown the meringue and serve hot or cold.

Apple-pudding-ple.—You will see why we children christened it this way. Peel, core, and slice four large apples into a deep greased baking dish. Take two eggs, and their weight in each of butter, sugar, and flour. Cream the butter and sugar, add the flour and well-beaten eggs, and pour the batter over the apples. Bake for one hour in a moderate oven.

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How strictly this new rule will, or can, be enforced on such a recognised harvest occasion as a Test match remains to be seen.

Somewhat I imagine that "removal" may be regarded by the hunter as a bargain price to pay for the signature of, say, a Bradman fresh from a century, and the risk only likely to add to the prestige of obtaining it.

An improvement I notice at Lord's is a white canvas screen, which seems to have replaced the ponderous wooden affair at the eastern end of the ground.

M. DE BITCHE'S PROMOTION

M. Borel de Bitché, the First Secretary of the Belgian Embassy, has, I learn, been promoted a Counsellor of Legation.

It will be remembered that M. de Bitché recently expressed the wish to punch Col. Seton Hutchinson on the nose for his statement that the late King Albert had not died an accidental death.

I am told, however, that M. de Bitché's promotion comes to him in

the normal course of seniority. It does not in any way indicate that the Belgian Government favours pugilism for diplomats.

MODEST MR. MACNAMARA

Mr. Macnamara, the defeated Conservative candidate at Upton, in taking the blame for defeat on his own shoulders, seems to have modelled himself on Nisus, who in the ninth book of the Aeneid nobly exclaims after the failure of an attack: "Here am I, the author of the deed. Turn your sword on me."

Such an attitude is rare among Parliamentary candidates.

The young Disraeli was anything but modest in defeat. When he stood in his first election as a Radical at High Wycombe and got 12 votes against Col. Grey's 20 he consoled himself with a lengthy speech in which he fiercely assailed the electors and attacked his enemies.

"The Whigs have cast me off, and they shall repent it," was what his enemies reported to have been his parting shot.

MR. JACK JONES'S COMPLIMENT

The figure of Asquith in defeat is one of the most pathetic in recent times. When in 1924 he lost his seat at Paisley, having been in Parliament, except for a break after the 1918 election, since 1886, he was found by a friend in his library. In silence he pointed to the passage:

Like an Arab old and blind

Some caravan has left behind. Then blowing his nose loudly he left the room.

Generally the declaration of the poll is the signal for an exchange of compliments between victor and vanquished. But there are exceptions.

Mr. Jack Jones, the Socialist member for Silvertown, must hold the record for discourtesy. After the 1929 declaration, when he obtained 23,000 votes to Mr. William Teeling's 3,000, he said in his speech: "I have fought many stiff fights before, but never such a big stiff as Mr. Teeling."

A FOUR-MONTH REMOVAL

The Cambridge Librarian, Mr. A. F. Schofield, has an arduous summer before him. On June 1 begins the removal of the books from the present building to their new quarters.

These are on the Banks. Special one-way traffic arrangements, I understand, have been made for

the fleet of lorries which are to transport the 1,250,000 volumes. Even so, considerable congestion of Cambridge's narrow streets during May Week seems more than probable.

The task of removal, which Mr. Schofield told me last autumn had already been planned in detail, will take four months.

The Cambridge Library is the third largest in England, being surpassed only by the British Museum, which has 4,000,000 volumes, and the Bodleian with 1,500,000.

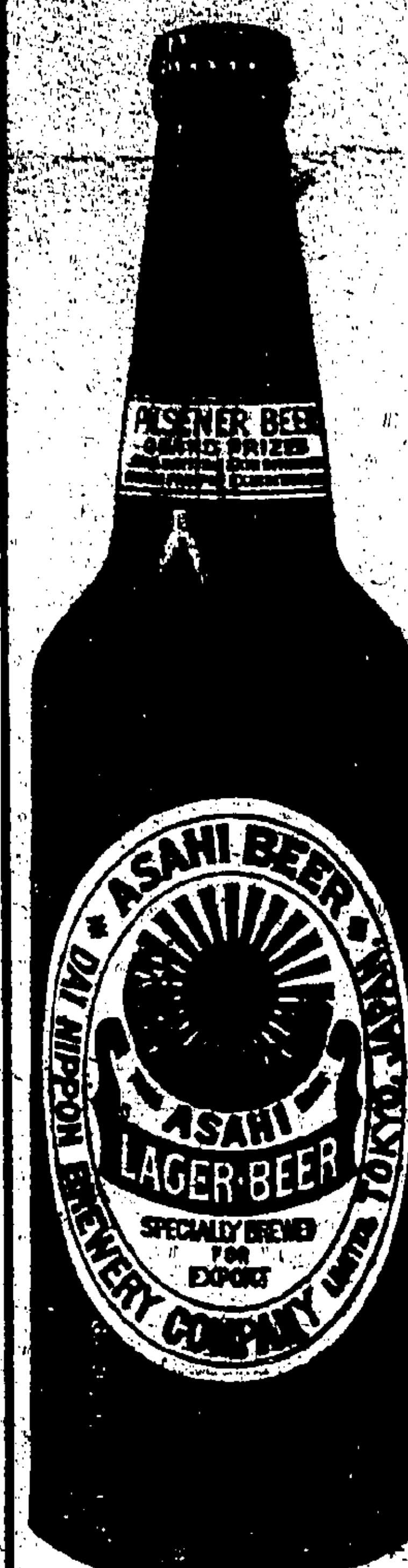
SMUGGLING FROM CHINA

The Opium Committee, at its meeting in the autumn of 1933, expressed its grave anxiety at information which appeared to indicate that not only is opium being smuggled from China but clandestine morphine and heroin factories are being set up in parts of that country. Whilst narcotic drugs of foreign manufacture were still flowing, though in a diminishing stream, into China, there was a tendency to establish clandestine factories in the interior of the country and also in the concessions, settlements, and leased territories. There was also evidence of the existence in Shanghai of a widespread organisation for the smuggling of drugs into the United States. Steps were therefore taken to promote closer co-operation between the Chinese authorities and the authorities of the Powers concerned to combat these evils.

The Opium Committee also drew attention to the conditions resulting from the opium monopoly established by the "de facto" authorities in Manchuria and Jehol. The Opium Committee pointed out that a large revenue was anticipated from this monopoly, and that there was grave risk lest it should result not only in further aggravation of the position in the territory but in the creation of a situation which may prove a menace to other countries.

JAPAN AND EMPIRE MARKETS

Mr. Runciman received Mr. Matsudaira, the Japanese Ambassador, at the Board of Trade yesterday afternoon and informed him of the Government's future policy on the question of Japanese competition. He made it plain that the British Government have no desire to enter into a trade war with Japan, but he also intimated that unless it was possible to arrive at an agreement as a result of discussions between the two Governments, steps would be taken in consultation with the Crown Colonies to restrict the importation of Japanese goods into the Colonial markets. The Japanese Ambassador undertook to communicate the views of the British Government to his Government in Tokyo, and it is unlikely that any statement will be made in the House of Commons until a reply has been received. As there are questions on the subject on the Order Paper on Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday, it will be possible to make a statement at any time next week.



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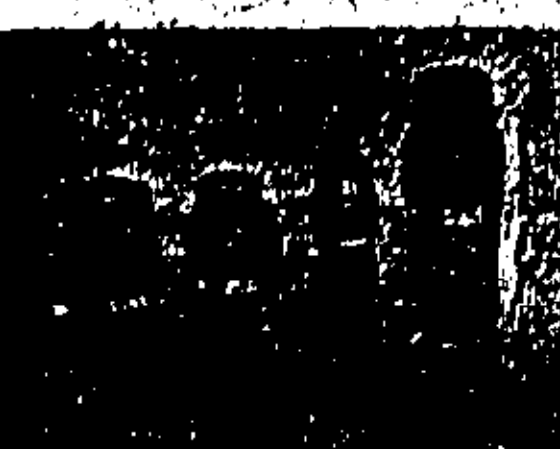
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To Aid Your Chic

White mackintoshes are fashionable, but many are not so white as they once were. Owners will welcome, therefore, a cleaning tip from Miss Mary Downey, of, Tramore, Co. Waterford.

Try this method of cleaning the garments. It is a good one:—Cut up two ounces of yellow soap and boil it in a little water until it is dissolved. Then let it cool a little and stir in half an ounce of powdered magnesia. Roll into a ball and let it harden.

Wash the mackintosh with this soap, using a nail-brush for the soiled parts. Rinse off the dirty soap and dry with a clean cloth.

Glass

Delicate glass and china should be washed in tepid water to which a little ammonia has been added; then allowed to drain in a rack until dry. Finally, polish with a dry, soft towel. To loosen a glass stopper which has become firmly fixed, rub a little oil round it and place it near a fire. Tap the stopper lightly and it will come out easily. When two tumblers have become fastened together, one inside the other, the safest way of disengaging them is to fill the inner glass with cold water and place the outer one in a bowl of warm water. The respective contraction and expansion which takes place will free the tumblers. A strong cement for mending broken glass or china is made by dissolving some shellac in sufficient spirits to give the consistency of treacle.

LORD CARDINAL'S NIGHTCAP

This punch is called "The Lord Cardinal's Nightcap" and is taken from an ancient still-room recipe book.

Stick a large orange with twelve cloves, and roast till the skin becomes dark. Put in a small stew-pan half a pint of water, an egg-spoon of powdered mace, and the same quantity of each of the following spices:—ginger, cinnamon, and allspice; also the thinly pared rind of a lemon. Roll for half an hour, strain, and add the juice of a lemon, 4lb. of powdered sugar, the roasted orange, and a bottle of tawny port.

FROZEN CHOCOLATE PUDDING

Stir the contents of one package of chocolate pudding into the contents of one 8-ounce can of evaporated milk. Add 1 cup of water and 1 cup of sugar. Bring to a boil for one minute. Cool and add 1 teaspoon vanilla and 1 cup whipped cream. Pour into refrigerator trays and freeze, stirring several times in the process.

LIME FRUIT SALAD

1 package lime gelatine.
1 pt. boiling water.
2 tsp. vinegar.
1 cup walnut meats, broken.
1 banana finely cut.
1 orange finely cut.
Dissolve gelatine in boiling water. Add vinegar. Pour layer of clear gelatine mixture into ring mould. Chill until firm. Chill 1/2 of remaining gelatine mixture. When slightly thickened fold in nuts and fruit and add to firm layer in mould. Chill until firm. Cover with remaining clear gelatine mixture. Chill again until firm. Serve with mayonnaise.

CREAM OF CARROT SOUP

Prepare enough tender young carrots to make two cups of small cubes. Cover with enough water to boil gently until tender. Add one medium size onion, two tablespoons of butter, one-half cup dried bread crumbs, three cups bouillon (meat or chicken), one teaspoon salt, one tablespoon sugar, one cup top milk or cream. Cook the onion slowly in the butter for five minutes. Add the crumbs and bouillon, the liquid off the carrots, salt and sugar and simmer 20 minutes. Add carrots and cream. Reheat to boiling.

LIVER EN CASSEROLE

1 pound calf or beef liver (cut thick) 2 large onions, 1 green pepper, 1 stalk celery. Cut liver in cubes. Dice onions. Heat bacon, grease in pan, add liver and onions and sear. Then put in casserole. Add green pepper and celery. Now pour a can of tomato soup over all and add 1 can of water. Season to taste. Bake for 30 minutes.

JELLIED CARROTS AND PEAS

1 pkg. gelatine, lemon flavour.
1 cup boiling water.
1 cup vegetable stock or cold water.
3 tbsp. vinegar.
1 tsp. salt.
1 tsp. paprika.
1 cup carrots, diced.
1 cup of fresh cooked peas (or chopped string beans).
Dissolve gelatine in boiling water. Add stock, vinegar, salt and paprika. Chill. When slightly thickened fold in vegetables. Turn into moulds. Chill until firm.
Other vegetables in the same proportion as the above recipe may be used if desired.

Readers' Recipes

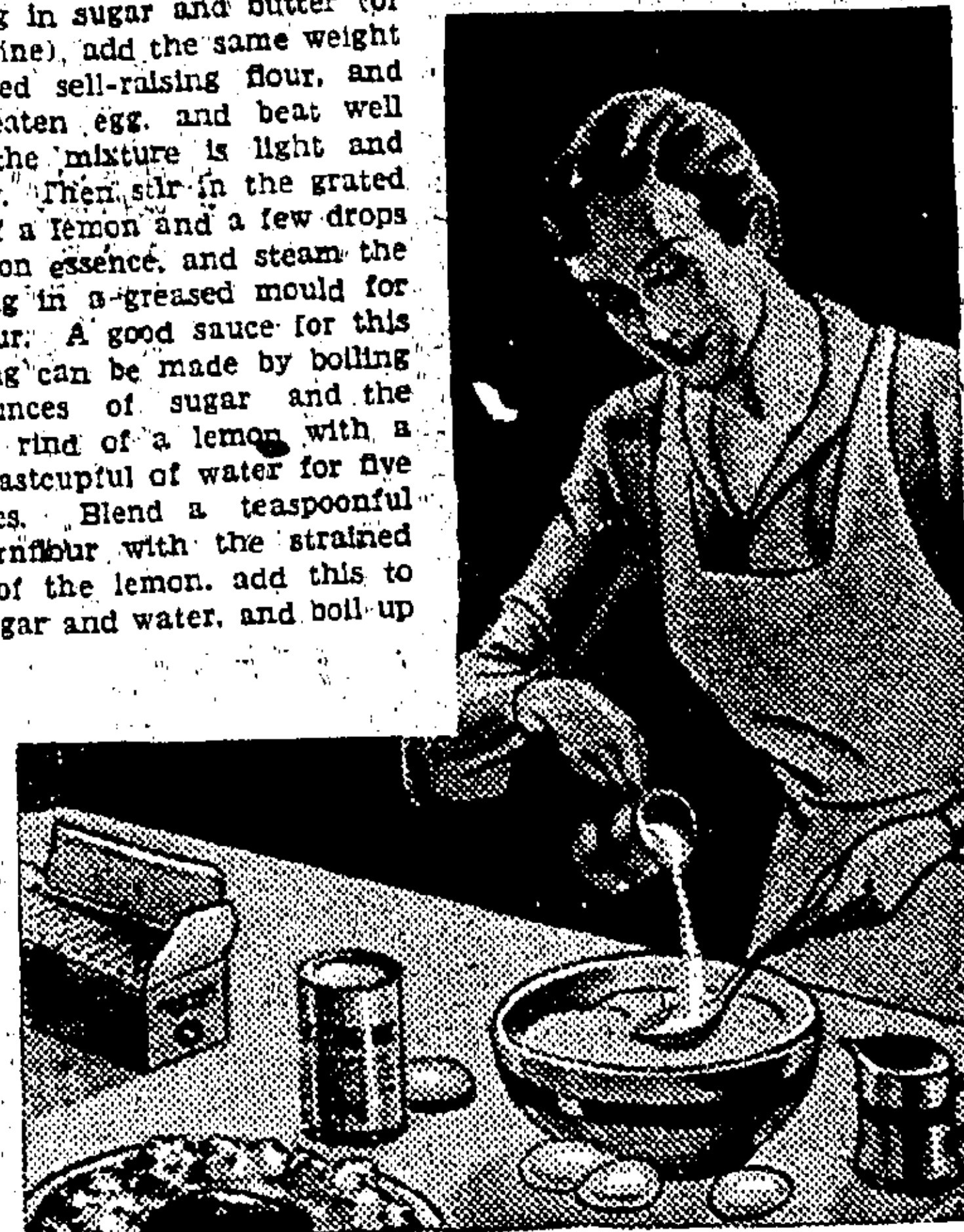
Lemon pudding is light and is a delicious and appropriate sweet to follow a substantial meat pie. Cream together the weight of one egg in sugar and butter (or margarine), add the same weight of sifted self-raising flour, and the beaten egg, and beat well until the mixture is light and creamy. Then stir in the grated rind of a lemon and a few drops of lemon essence, and steam the pudding in a greased mould for an hour. A good sauce for this pudding can be made by boiling two ounces of sugar and the grated rind of a lemon with a breakfastful of water for five minutes. Blend a teaspoonful of cornflour with the strained juice of the lemon, add this to the sugar and water, and boil up again.

Cooked Complete

A cookery tip from Mrs. Black of Hillington, that will save both time and temper:—

There is nothing more difficult than to serve, without breaking it, a cauliflower, and so in my opinion making it look most unappetising.

To avoid this I wrap my cauliflower in a square of butter muslin, tying its corner to corner, with knot at top. I then put it into boiling salted water, and when cooked, I lift it out with a fork, leaving it to drain in colander, and the cauliflower is complete, just as before cooking.



WARM WEATHER HINTS

Baked Ham

Here is one way to prepare baked ham—and a way you'll testify has much to recommend it, once you've savoured its delicious, melting goodness:

10-lb. ham
4 qts. cold water
2 bay leaves
2 onion, sliced
12 whole cloves

Wash the ham thoroughly and add the rest of the ingredients. Cover and cook very slowly for 4 hours or until ham is tender when tested with a fork. Remove ham from the stock and cool until it can be handled; then remove excess fat and cut off the rind. Cover with the following mixture:

Sugar Mixture
18 whole cloves
1 cup dark brown sugar
1 cup spiced peach juice
Stick cloves in ham at regular intervals. Spread with the sugar and add juice. Cover with lid and bake 15 minutes.

EGGS SOMERSET

Eggs Somerset are delicious and unusual. For this three hard cooked eggs, sliced; one cup of tomatoes; one-third teaspoon paprika, one-third teaspoon salt; one teaspoon chopped onions; one teaspoon chopped celery; one-third cup grated cheese; one-third cup crumbs and one tablespoon butter are mixed and poured into a baking dish. Bake 20 minutes in a moderate oven. Serve in the dish in which they were baked. Serves three.

SCRAMBLED EGGS AND MEAT

3 lbs. bacon fat
4 eggs, beaten
3 lbs. milk
1 cup cooked diced meat
2 lbs. chopped onions
2 lbs. chopped celery
1 tsp. salt
1 tsp. paprika
Heat fat in frying pan, slowly add eggs, milk and meat. Cook slowly and stir constantly until mixture thickens. Add rest of ingredients and cook two minutes.

POACHED EGGS

Beat egg whites stiff. Have ready as many slices of buttered toast as there are persons to be served. Make a nest of the beaten egg white on each slice. Into this drop a little butter and the

From A Tin Of Peaches

Peaches figure prominently in favourite hot-weather sweets and are always welcome when the appetite is jaded. Try these recipes.

With Rice

Wash a gill of rice and cook in boiling salted water until tender; then drain.
Line a mould with rice, and in the centre put a pint of drained sliced peaches, sprinkled with two tablespoonsful of caster sugar, add a tablespoonful of butter cut into little pieces, and eight tablespoonsful of marmalade.
Cover with rice and bake for 25 minutes in a moderate oven. When cold turn out and serve with a sweet sauce.

Macaroon Souffle
Beat two egg-whites until stiff, then stir in six tablespoonsful of caster sugar. Rub some dry macaroons through a sieve and fold in a gill of crumbs, and half a pint of peach pulp—made by rubbing peaches through a strainer. Add two tablespoonsful of lemon juice.

Fill the bottom of a soufflé dish with sliced peaches, put the meringue on top, and bake in a moderate oven until firm, serving as soon as possible.

Peach Pie

Fill a pie-dish with sliced or halved peaches, cover with half a gill of their syrup and a dessertspoonful of lemon juice, and cover with short crust, mixed with milk. Bake in a hot oven for 15 minutes, and serve with cream.

Peach Combe

Wash four ounces of rice and cook until tender in half a pint of milk, sweetening with two ounces of caster sugar. The rice should absorb all the milk. Put in a pie-dish and cover with halved peaches.

Make a meringue with three egg whites and three ounces of caster sugar, and put in the oven to brown.

unbroken egg yolk. Sprinkle salt over the top and place in moderate oven until the egg is set.

CREAM ALE

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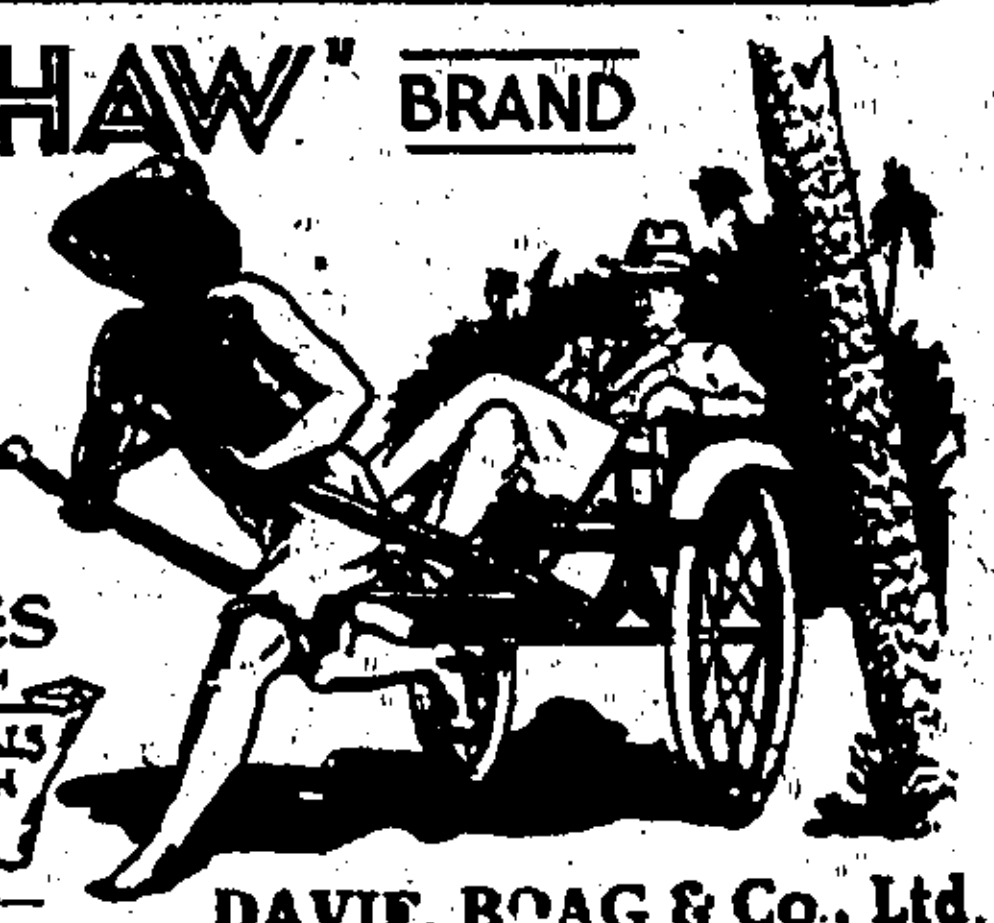
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Hints From Everywhere

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Fragile china should be packed in sawdust.

The Chinese have an excellent method of packing their finest glassware. They dip each piece in cold water, and while it is still wet they wrap it in tissue paper, put on with a twisting motion. It is then packed in excelsior or crumpled paper. The damp paper clings to the glass and thus prevents the pieces from slipping.

Narrow strips of paper pasted diagonally across pictures and mirrors will help to break up the vibrations.

A good packer is known by the way he packs books. Close packing breaks the bindings. It is best to stand the books on ends as in a bookcase. Do not use large boxes for books; they are easier handled in small ones on account of their weight.

And—be sure to label all boxes and barrels.

Label each box on its front edge—with a brief summary of the contents, or you will have to dislocate the whole pile when you want to get something out.

CINNAMON TOAST

Cinnamon Toast for afternoon tea. Cut your bread into rounds about half an inch thick, toast crisply, and well buttered. When the butter has soaked in, sprinkle over each piece cinnamon and then castor sugar. Pop back under the grill for a few minutes and serve hot.

A sprinkle of cinnamon in milk puddings gives a delicious flavour, and the same quantity in any herb stuffing, as for veal, turkey, or chicken imparts a piquancy.

A quarter of a teaspoonful of cinnamon in glass of hot milk on going to bed quickly relieves and disperses a cold! So granny's larger always contained a tin of cinnamon (in powder).

EYESORE REMOVED

If you have several suit-cases and flat dress-boxes that through lack of cupboard space have to live in your spare room, it is a good plan to stack them neatly and place on top a piece of board cut to the size of the largest. A loose cover to hide the top and three sides of the pile may be made of glazed chintz, cretonne, or American oilcloth.

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Some Ways Of Serving Apple

Baked Apple Curry.—Into a greased baking dish slice two large peeled, cored apples in layers, sprinkling each layer with a mixture of two teaspoons of sugar and one tea-spoon of curry powder. Moisten with one tablespoon of water, dot the top with butter, cover, and bake in a good oven for one hour, then eat with pork, veal, duck, or ham.

Apple Soup.—Peel, core, and slice two large apples into one quart of soup stock, with a salt-spoon of pepper, three cloves, and a shake of cayenne. Cook till apples are tender, then rub through a sieve and reboil.

Apple Rings, cut a quarter of an inch thick and fried in the fat from sausages and bacon, make a jolly breakfast (with the sausages and bacon, of course).

Apple Delight.—Sweeten one pint of apple puree to taste, and stir in the well-whipped yolks of two eggs. Bake for fifteen minutes, then cover with meringue made from the whipped whites of the eggs and two tablespoons of sugar. Brown the meringue and serve hot or cold.

Apply-pudding-pie.—You will see why we children christened it this way. Peel, core, and slice four large apples into a deep greased baking dish. Take two eggs, and their weight in each of butter, sugar, and flour. Cream the butter and sugar, add the flour and well-beaten eggs, and pour the batter over the apples. Bake for one hour in a moderate oven.

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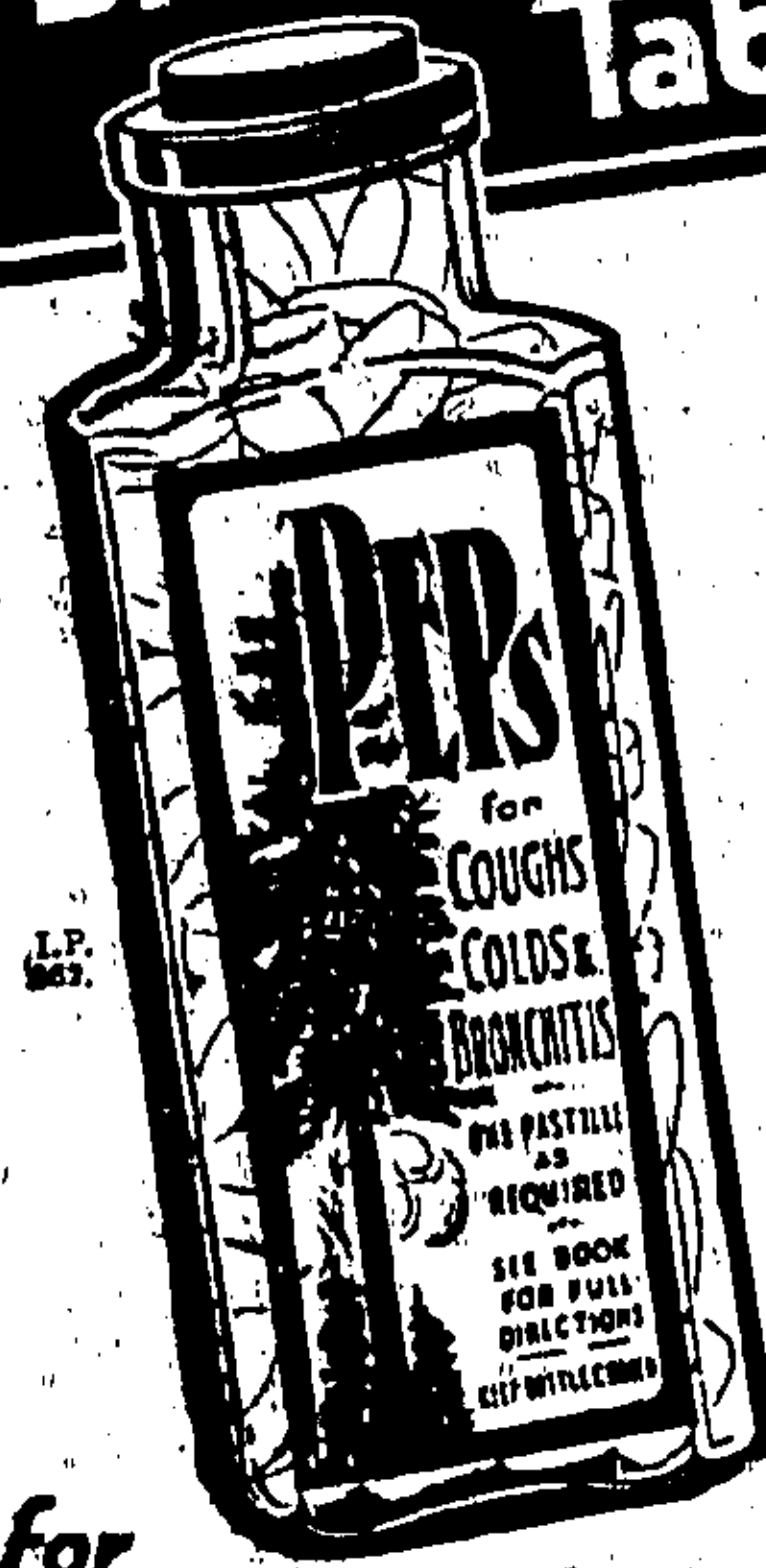
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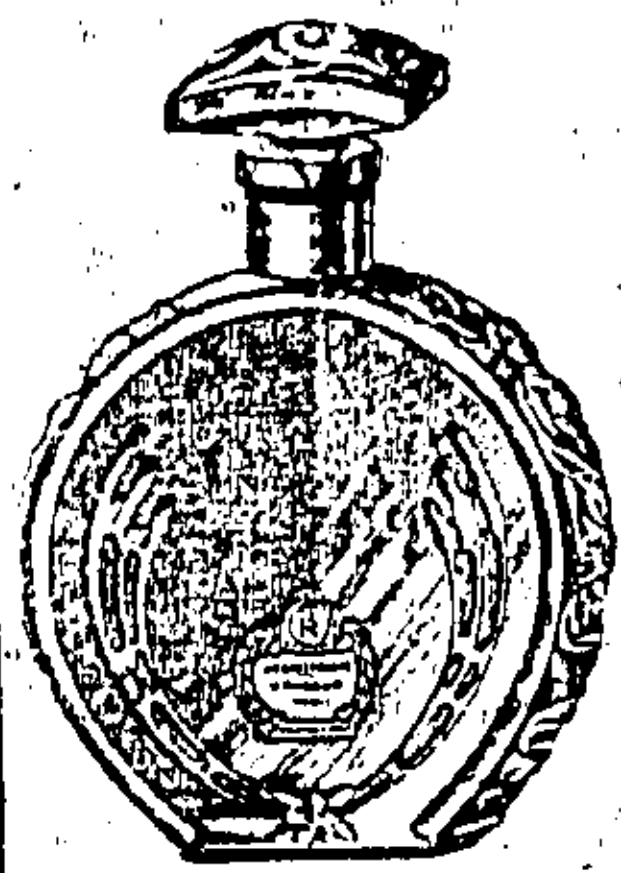
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Around the Courts

COURT MARTIAL SENTENCE

Private Arthur Thompson, of the Lincolnshire Regiment, who was recently tried by district court martial at Shamshui Po for leaving his post before being relieved and being found asleep on duty, has been sentenced by the Court to 56 days' detention.

The sentence has received the confirmation of H.E. the G.O.C., Major General O. C. Borrett.

"PLEDGING OF GIRLS"

"I think we will discourage this pledging of girls," remarked Mr. Wynne-Jones at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday in imposing a fine of \$250 or, in default, three months' imprisonment on a man named Lai Kai who was summoned for keeping a "mul-tai" without registering her at the S.C.A. Sub-Inspector Fraser told the Court that the girl was handed to defendant by her mother some years ago as security on a loan of \$150. When the girl's mother asked for her daughter back later, defendant refused to give her up. The girl made a report to the Mongkok Police Station last month to the effect that she had been badly treated, and this was how the attention of the S.C.A. was focussed on the case.

\$200 BAIL ESTREATED

Li Lu, alias Li Chak, 24, described as a broker, failed to appear at the Central Magistracy yesterday on a charge of obtaining \$5 from Wong Sung Pong by pretending he was authorised by the Sanitary Department to inspect Wong's house and stating that unless the money was paid to purchase presents for certain members of the Sanitary Department, alterations in the building should be carried out. There was an alternative charge of obtaining \$5 by means of fraud.

Defendant's bail of \$200 was estreated, and on the application of Det.-Insp. J. Murphy, for the prosecution, a warrant was issued for his arrest.

WHY TAKE THE DOG OUT?

Mr. A. H. Delcourt of No. 247, Prince Edward Road who was summoned before Mr. Wynne-Jones at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday for bringing his dog in from the New Territories to Kowloon without a permit from the Colonial Veterinary Surgeon on May 20, was cautioned.

Witness said the dog was in the car all the time. His Worship agreed but at the same time asked defendant if that was the case, why take the dog out at all?

MORE DOORS THAN WALLS

An excuse that the people on the passage-way were mainly women with babies was made by Mr. D. L. Strellett, at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday, when he appeared on behalf of Wong Yiu-tung, licensee of the Mongkok Theatre, who was summoned before Mr. Wynne-Jones for allowing the passage to be blocked during a performance.

Mr. J. C. FitzHenry, of the Fire Brigade, said that when he visited the theatre at 8.30 p.m. on May 20 he found 12 people obstructing the passage during a performance.

In answer to Mr. FitzHenry's remark that there would be great danger in the event of an alarm of fire, Mr. Strellett said the theatre seemed to him to have "more doors than walls."

A nominal fine of \$10 was imposed.

CRUELTY TO A RAT

A fine of \$15 was imposed on each of two shop folks who were charged before Mr. Wynne-Jones at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday with cruelty to a rat.

Defendants were Leong Sun and Kung Sop, aged 22 and 23 respectively. They were alleged to have fastened a rat to a piece of wooden board by driving nails through each of its thighs. Not content with this, they tickled it with sticks.

Traffic Inspector Saunders saw the incident and had the defendants arrested and taken to the Shamshui Po Police Station.

When a male mendicant appeared before Mr. Macfadyen yesterday it was stated by the police that he could write English very well. A fine of \$2, or four days, was imposed.

Sentence of six weeks' hard labour was passed on So Kau, who was charged before Mr. Wynne-Jones at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday with the attempted theft of a radiator cap from the car belonging to Mr. Simmonds, of the Hong Kong and China Gas Co. Sergeant Ritchie stated that at 2.15 a.m. on Tuesday, Mr. Simmonds left his car, No. 4044, outside the office, and defendant was seen by a folt of the Company trying to unscrew the radiator cap from the car.

Two defendants, both answering to the name of Wong Hol, admitted charges of theft before Mr. Macfadyen in the Central Police Court yesterday. The first Wong Hol, who stole two opium pipes and a jacket from No. 16, Chung Wo Lane, was fined \$10 or fourteen days, while a similar penalty was meted out to the other man, who pleaded guilty to taking a clock from No. 19, Aberdeen Street.

"He was in a pretty hopeless condition and did not recover until this morning," remarked Sub-Inspector L. Mist when a boatman, Wong Kan, 23, was charged before Mr. Macfadyen yesterday with being drunk and incapable. He admitted the charge. Defendant was stated to have made a general nuisance of himself outside the Star Ferry wharf at the tiffin interval on Tuesday and was arrested by a Wei-haiwei constable. A fine of two dollars, or four days, was imposed.

A fine of \$15 was imposed by Mr. Hamilton yesterday on Lam Sau King, married woman, of No. 301 Queen's Road West, on a summons for keeping an unregistered mul-tai, named Tsui Ying Kwai, alias Shing Tsui, aged 15. Sub-Inspector McEwen stated the girl was being kept at the Po Leung Kuk and would probably return to her mother.

Li Hing, aged 28, was charged before Mr. Wynne-Jones at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday with breaking into the first floor of No. 115, Woosung Street at 2 p.m. on Monday. It was stated that defendant gained admittance to the floor by prising open the door with a pen-knife. He took away clothing to the total value of approximately \$50. Sentence of three months was passed.

Tsui Shing, 28, was charged before Mr. Hamilton, at the Central Magistracy yesterday, with the theft of a key, property of Mr. A. Bianconi, the Italian Consul General, from his residence "Chuen Chow," Repulse Bay. An application for 48 hours' remand was granted.

A plea of guilty to a technical offence, was tendered by Mr. J. M. Hall when he appeared before Mr. Hamilton, in the Central Police Court yesterday morning, on behalf of Chiu Miu Chau, of No. 4 Arsenal Street, who was summoned for possession of a revolver without a valid licence on May 23. A fine of \$25 was imposed.

THE KING AND QUEEN

Accession Day At Windsor

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, May 20.

The King and Queen, received many messages of congratulation at Windsor Castle on the twenty-fourth anniversary of the King's accession to the Throne.

Their Majesties attended service in the private chapel of the Castle. At a small luncheon party their guests included the Queen of Norway, Princess Victoria, and the Duke of Gloucester. The band concert which had been arranged for the afternoon on the East Terrace had to be cancelled owing to showery weather. Flags were flown over public buildings in London and elsewhere.

Accession Day was marked by special prayers and music in many of the churches, including Westminster Abbey, where the English monarchs are crowned.

MR. CHAN LIM PAK IN COURT

Lengthy Proceedings Foreshadowed

SOLICITORS AND ACCOUNT BOOKS

Arrested on Tuesday, and released on bail of \$10,000, Mr. Chan Lim Pak made an appearance yesterday before Mr. E. W. Hamilton on six counts of alleged fraudulent appropriation of money and fraudulent keeping of accounts of the Nanyang Tobacco Co.

Mr. Edgar Davidson of Messrs. Hastings and Company appeared for the complainant, Mr. T. John-Wong, and Mr. M. K. Lo appeared for Mr. Chan Lim Pak.

Mr. Davidson asked for a remand for as lengthy a period as possible as he was instructing counsel to appear, and the case would be one for committal.

Mr. Hamilton asked Mr. Lo whether seven days' remand on bail would be sufficient, and Mr. Lo agreed.

Mr. Hamilton next asked whether there was likely to be any difficulty with regard to books, and Mr. Davidson applied for an order be made under Section 91 of the Larceny Ordinance, and suggested that letters, cash books and vouchers of last year be impounded.

Mr. Lo:—Speaking as solicitor for the Company, I see no reason why they should give up possession of any books which are properly in their custody. I will take notice of any application my friend makes, but in regard to this I oppose. For one thing, your Worship will appreciate that the prosecution has no doubt taken a long time in making investigations, whereas this of course is a great surprise to the defence. I should be personally embarrassed if the books are not accessible to me.

Mr. Hamilton:—I was intending to propose that the books should be in police custody, and that neither side should have access to them before the other.

Mr. Lo:—I cannot see that that section read out by my friend applies at all. It apparently relates to an offence of larceny of property stolen, and it seems to give your Worship power, on proper information, to search for such stolen property. There is no question of search for property in this case at all. The books are in possession of the Company. There is no question of these books having been stolen and being found in a certain place. It may be that this section applies, but I thought, on reading it, that it does not. I should like to argue this point further if necessary.

Mr. Hamilton:—Your position is that the proper course is to serve a notice on the Company for the production of the books?

Mr. Lo:—Yes.

Mr. Davidson:—It is obvious that we could have applied for a search warrant without giving notice to anybody at all; instead, we are applying now. There can be no question about this being within the section.

Remanded One Week

Mr. Hamilton:—So far, the position is that we have a section of which you take one view and Mr. Lo the other. That is not being argued, in any case; it is merely a question of interpretation of English, and as I take it, it means four judges will have to decide it. I think Mr. Lo had better have

ECHOES OF 1861

17—Proposed Site For Sailor's Home

Few old residents of this Colony will believe what we are about to state. The site proposed for the Sailor's Home is not as we thought, the ground behind the barracks, at present covered with bamboos, but that Golgotha of a hollow, several hundred yards up the nullah, where the malaria has turned all the stones black and where every breath of air, unless from the North is excluded. Certainly if we had been requested to select the most unhealthy spot upon the island, we should have pitched upon this very place. Why the malaria from that nullah was so notorious a few years ago, that even the Albany was considered unhealthy in consequence. The occupants of the barracks suffered severely from this cause for many years, and vast expense was gone to in order to remedy this evil. The ground immediately in rear of the barracks was planted with bamboos, simply from sanitary motives.

In the face of all this, we actually find, incredible as it may seem, the very depth of the hollow, the source of the pestilence, proposed as the site of the sailor's home. And we feel very sure that the proposers of the absurd notion will be allowed to advocate their suggestion against all other proposals by such arguments as these. A thorough knowledge of the sailor's character—his peculiar aversion to going even thirty or fifty feet up hill—the necessity of his being located near the harbour master's office—the advisability of having him away from the taverns—the difficulty of wharfage or of making a road up the hill. Some of these arguments contain certain merit and some do not—they will be mixed up and jumbled in such a manner that it will be made to appear that the only place on earth to make a sailor's home is this unhealthy hollow pitched upon.

If the ground whereon the bamboo stand were selected there would be fewer objections, because there, air can circulate. But in our opinion the neighbourhood is entirely unsuitable. The subject matters little to us whether the site selected be on the Peak or in the Bay. Yet we do feel averse to the princely munificence of our fellow townsmen being wasted, and the philanthropy they had in view turned to ashes in its development.

24 hours' remand if he wants to argue the matter.

Mr. Davidson:—If it is desirable at all, the delay of 24 hours may be too much.

Mr. Hamilton:—I am not quite clear as to what "difficulty" 24 hours' delay will make for the prosecution.

Mr. Davidson:—Possibly none. Mr. Lo is willing to go down there with the and take possession of the books.

Mr. Hamilton:—I will remand the case for one week. If the matter can be adjusted without issuing a warrant, it will be more satisfactory to both sides.

In answer to Mr. Hamilton, Mr. Davidson said that it was likely the case would be ready for trial before the end of next month.

Defendant was accordingly remanded for one week on bail of \$10,000.

Sailors Homes are generally speaking failures—all corporate or public undertakings in China invariably end in grief through mismanagement and apathy.

Therefore the sailors home in Hongkong, standing as it does, a mighty poor chance of answering the purpose intended, had perhaps better be interred with its fellows as soon as possible. With this end in view the site in the hollow is the best idea conceivable.

SCOUTS' HONESTY

Young Malay Who Found \$68

Malacca, May 26.

The honesty of a Boy Scout patrol leader Mohammad bin Tambi Ali of the 11th High School Troop, who picked up a bundle containing \$68, in Treasury notes in the Post Office several months ago, and who promptly handed the money to the Superintendent of the Post Office, was revealed in a speech made by Mr. B. V. Richards, District Commissioner of the Malacca Boy Scouts local association, at a rally yesterday evening at the High School grounds.

The acting Resident Councillor the Hon. Mr. J. S. W. Arthur, reviewed the Scouts and later distributed the prizes won in 1933.

The Staunton Cup awarded for the most efficient Patrol was won by Bull Patrol, 3rd S. F. I. Troop (Patrol Leader Thomas). The Robinson Cup awarded for the most efficient Troop was won by the 3rd S.F.I. Troop (Scout Master H. M. de Souza). The Nixon Trophy awarded for the most efficient Group was won by the Banda Hilir English School (Scout Master G. S. M. Wellington).

CARNEGIE ENDOWMENT LIBRARY

University of Shanghai's Announcement

Shanghai, June 2.

The library of the University of Shanghai has just been made a depository library of the Carnegie Endowment for International Peace, to receive its publications, according to the announcement received by Dr. Herman C. E. Liu, President of the university. The first shipment of publications to be placed in the library is expected to arrive in the near future.

The University of Shanghai organized the first International Relations Club in China, and it is affiliated with the Carnegie Endowment for International Peace. The university has also developed a special library known as the International Relations Library, which has received publications from forty different countries. The publications received from the Endowment for the depository library will form an important part of the International Relations Library.

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FOOD VALUES

Let's Have Muffins

The method of mixing all kinds of muffins is the same—dry ingredients sifted together first, the egg beaten until foamy and mixed with the milk and melted fat; and this liquid mixture added to the dry ingredients and beaten vigorously until they are just moistened. Do not try to make a muffin batter smooth. If fruits or nuts are to be added, save a tablespoon or two of the flour to coat them with. Cranberries are rolled in sugar first. Mix a muffin batter as quickly as possible and avoid over-stirring, as that causes the muffins to have peaks and tunnels. Warm the muffin pans a little and they will be easier to grease.

To be at their best any muffins should be timed so they can be served as soon as they are baked. If you have any cold muffins left, they can be split, buttered, and toasted for another meal. Bake muffins in a hot oven (400°-425° F.) for 20 to 30 minutes, depending on the size of the muffin.

Plain Muffins

2 cups sifted flour
4 teaspoons baking powder
1 tablespoon sugar, if desired
1 teaspoon salt
1 egg
1 cup milk
1 to 4 tablespoons melted butter or other fat

Graham Muffins

1½ cups unsifted graham flour
2 teaspoons baking powder
1 teaspoon salt
1 tablespoon sugar
1 egg
1 cup milk
1 tablespoon melted fat

Oatmeal Muffins

1 cup fine rolled oats
1 cup sifted flour
4 teaspoons baking powder
1 teaspoon salt
1 egg
1 cup milk
1 tablespoon melted fat

Cranberry Muffins

1 cup cranberries
2 cups sifted flour
4 teaspoons baking powder
1 cup sugar
1 teaspoon salt
1 egg
1 cup milk
4 tablespoons of melted butter or other fat

Roll the cranberries in two extra tablespoons of sugar and fold into the batter. Do not stir the mixture any more than necessary.

Ham Souffle

3 tbsp. butter
4 tbsp. flour
1½ cups milk
1 cup chopped cooked ham
1 tsp. chopped onion
3 egg yolks
2 tsp. chopped celery
1 tsp. chopped parsley
3 egg whites, beaten
Melt butter and add flour, when blended add milk and cook until creamy sauce forms. Stir constantly. Add yolks and beat one minute. Fold in remaining ingredients and pour into a buttered baking dish. Set in a pan of hot water and bake 35 minutes in a slow oven. This recipe serves 2; by doubling 4 will be served.

Escalloped Ham And Potatoes

If you would like to serve a hot supper this dish is excellent as it is a complete meal with the addition of a salad.

1 lb. slice of ham
3 cups sliced potatoes
3 tbsp. flour
1 tsp. paprika
1 tsp. chopped onion
1 tsp. chopped green peppers
1½ cups milk

Blend potatoes, flour and seasonings. Cover bottom of a buttered baking dish with part of the potatoes. Add the ham and cover with remaining potatoes and add milk. Cover with lid and bake 1½ hours in a moderate oven. Remove lid during last 20 minutes of baking to enable the dish to brown on top.

CHEESE DISHES ARE ECONOMICAL

Give Them Originality And Zest

Cheese may appear with the appetizers, form the basis of the main dish and serve as dessert. Not all on the same menu, of course, but utilized at different times they prove their variety and palatability over and over again. If you are planning a Sunday night supper and want your main dish to be prepared in advance try making this delicious cheese ring—it's as decorative as it is good to the taste.

Cheese Ring

1½ cups cottage cheese
1 tsp. salt
1 green pepper
1 cup cold water
1 can pimento
2 tbsp. gelatine
2 cups cream, whipped
Peaches, pears

Soak gelatine in cold water and dissolve over hot water. Put cheese through a sieve, add salt, pepper, and pimento, stir in gelatine and mix well. Place in a ring mold that has been rinsed in cold water and let stand for several hours in the refrigerator. Turn out on a bed of lettuce and arrange a border of alternating peaches and pears. In the centre place mayonnaise.

Frozen Fruit And Cheese Salad

1 cup canned pineapple, diced
1 medium size banana
Enough mixed fruit to make 2 cups
1 tsp. sugar
2 tsp. lemon juice
1 tsp. salt
1 cup mayonnaise
1 cup cottage cheese
After fruit is prepared add sugar, lemon and salt and let stand 30 minutes. Rub cottage cheese through a sieve and add with the mayonnaise to the fruit. Freeze about 4 hours.

Cheese Chops

1 cup grated cheese
1 cup crumbled butter crackers
2 eggs, beaten
1 cup butter
2 tsp. parsley
Salt and pepper
Mix all ingredients. Shape like chops. Fry. Serve with lettuce salad dressed with piquant French dressing.

A Delicious Sandwich

Cream one package of cream cheese, add 1 teaspoon orange rind, grated, 2 tablespoons chopped candied ginger and enough orange juice to give spreading consistency. Spread between thin slices of white bread.

Cheese Balls

Combine 1 cup grated American cheese with 1 teaspoon flour, 1 teaspoon salt, and a dash of cayenne. Fold in the stiffly beaten whites of 2 eggs. Shape by teaspoonsful in balls and roll in egg yolk combined with 2 tablespoons of water; then roll in fine crumbs and repeat the egg-crumbs process. Stand for 5 minutes to dry and fry in deep hot fat. Serve very hot.

Cheese Alaska

Poach 4 fish fillets or 2 slices of halibut in court bouillon. This is made by simmering for 1 hour 1 onion, a sliced carrot, 2 peppercorns, a bit of bay leaf, a tablespoon of vinegar and the fish trimmings in 1 quart of boiling salted water. Cook the fish for about 10 minutes.

Cover a baking platter, 5 x 11 inches, with rich cream-cheese sauce. Place the drained, poached fish on this after cutting into 3 portions. Cover each piece of fish with hills of egg meringue. For this beat 4 egg whites with 1 teaspoon vinegar and 1 teaspoon cream of tartar till the eggs are rosy. Brown under the broiler, 6 inches from the flame. Garnish with watercress.

Cheese Sauce

Melt 2 tablespoons fat; add 3 tablespoons flour, 1 teaspoon salt and a dash of paprika. Blend well. Gradually add 2 cups of milk and stir till thickened.



Then beat in 1 cup of grated cheese and stir till melted. More cheese may be added. A tablespoon of mustard or Worcestershire sauce may vary the flavour.

Cheese Rolls

2 cups flour
1 tsp. salt
3 tsp. shortening
4 tsp. baking powder
1 cup milk
Butter
Grated cheese

Mix and sift the dry ingredients, and then work in the shortening. Add sufficient milk until you have a soft dough. Roll it on a floured board until ¼ inch thick. Spread with butter and sprinkle thickly with the grated cheese. Then roll and cut it in about inch slices. Place in a greased pan, cut side up. Then bake in a hot oven for about 15 minutes.

Mashed Potatoes

Mash potatoes until they are real light and fluffy and then place in a baking dish. Sprinkle with a mixture of soft bread crumbs and grated cheese. Then bake until the potato is thoroughly heated and the bread crumbs are golden browned. This is a dish that will gain the approval of every member of the family.

Ham A La King

If you have served a baked ham such as is described above you'll want to know of some ways to utilize the left-over meat. Here is one: Take 2 cups of baked ham, 1 can mushrooms, 5 tablespoons salad oil, 2 tablespoons chopped pimentos, 5 tablespoons chopped green peppers, 1 tablespoon capers, 1 teaspoon salt, 3 cups rich cream, 2 tablespoons butter, and yolks of 2 eggs.

Brown mushrooms for 5 minutes in the oil, add the diced ham, capers, peppers, pimentos, salt and pepper. Make a white sauce of the fat, flour and cream. Heat the egg yolks and add gradually to the white sauce. Add the ham mixture, heat thoroughly and serve on toast.

What to Order To-day?

TIFFIN

Smoked Pomfret
Potatoes on Half Shell
Pilgrim Pies
Tapoca Cream
Stewed Oranges

DINNER

Venetian Soup
Shrimps and Bamboo Shoots
Steamed Rice
Beef and Ham Loaf
Beetroot Salad
Creamed Cucumber
Raspberry Charlotte
Pilgrim Pies

Pie Crust, 2 cupfuls cold minced lamb, 1 teaspoonful minced parsley, 1 tablespoonful Worcester Sauce, salt and pepper to taste, 1 cupful stock, mashed potatoes. Line one large deep pie dish with the crust, pick well and bake in a moderately hot oven for about 15 minutes. Add the meat and seasonings to the stock, heat, and fill the baked crust. Pile mashed potato on top, return to the oven to brown the potato delicately.

Venetian Soup

2 tablespoons bacon fat or dripping, 1 medium sized onion, minced, 1 quart meat stock, 1 pint, tomato pulp, fresh or tinned, 1 cupful cooked lima beans, 1 cupful cooked rice, 1 cupful each chopped cooked carrots and cabbage, 1½ teaspoonful salt, 1 teaspoonful pepper. Melt the bacon or other drippings and cook the onion in it until it begins to turn colour. Add the stock, the minced tomatoes and rice, and simmer for 20 minutes. Then add the carrot and cabbage and the beans. Season with the salt and pepper and serve with greatest cheer.

Shrimps and Bamboo Shoots
1 lb. habboo shoots, 4 oz. shrimps (meat), 1 tablespoon lard, pepper and salt, stock. Shell shrimps, cut meat and bamboo shoots into small pieces and fry in the lard for a few minutes.

Add salt and pepper and a little stock, cover and let stew until cooked.

Raspberry Charlottes
1 cupful raspberries (tinned), 2 cupfuls whipped cream, 3 table-spoons sugar, 1½ teaspoonfuls gelatine, 2 table-spoons cold water, lady finger biscuits or thin slices stale sponge cake. Soften the gelatine in cold water, then place over hot water until dissolved, crush the raspberries and add the sugar. Whip the cream until stiff, add the dissolved gelatine and the fruit, and pile in Sherbet glasses or small dishes lined with the lady fingers or sponge cake. Chill before serving.

A Change From Cake

Walnut bread is a very unusual and delightful change from cake: 4 breakfasts cups flour; 4 breakfast cups sugar; 4 table-spoonsful syrup; 1½ lb. shelled walnuts (chop these up in small pieces); 6 table-spoonsful baking powder; 1 egg well beaten; milk.

Mix dry ingredients. Stir in egg and milk. Leave moist or thin. Bake in a hot oven at first, cooling afterwards. Try with slower to see if it is baked enough.

It can be cut in slices and buttered or left plain.

A GOOD SUPPER DISH

The remains of the fish from an earlier meal can be used to make a good supper dish. Flake the fish finely and weigh it, allowing half as much rice as fish. Boil the rice until it is almost soft, then drain it and add a cupful of milk and water, boiling again until the rice is quite tender. Then add the fish, a piece of butter pepper, salt, a dash of anchovy essence, also a little chopped parsley and grated cheese if they are liked. See that the mixture is not too moist; a little of the liquid may have to be drained off. Put the ingredients into a greased dish, sprinkle the top with breadcrumbs and grated cheese, and bake for twenty minutes.

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Now put in eight ounces of sultanas (or four ounces of currants and four of sultanas), and some freshly grated lemon rind. Beat lightly and then stir in half a teaspoonful of bicarbonate of soda. Beat the mixture for another three or four minutes, and bake for from ten to an hour and a quarter.

Gingerbread Cake

Beat a quarter of a pound of butter with half a pound of black treacle (or golden syrup, if you prefer it), then add a beaten egg and three breakfast-cupfuls of flour, a dessert-spoonful of mixed spice, the same of carbonate of soda, a pinch of salt, and whatever amount of sultanas, raisins, and chopped mixed peel you think fit.

Add milk in sufficient quantity to make the mixture rather wet—between a quarter and half a pint. Pour this mixture into shallow tins (round, sandwich-tins do admirably), decorate with split almonds, and bake in a slow oven for half an hour.

Sultana Cake

Rub half a pound of butter into a pound and a quarter of flour, which has been sieved with three table-spoonsful of baking-powder. Add half a pound of sugar, one pound of sultanas, half a pound of chopped citron peel, two ounces of chopped almonds, and the grated peel of a lemon. Make to a dough with three beaten eggs, adding milk if necessary. Bake for three hours. It has a delicious lemony flavour.

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TO-DAY'S RADIO PROGRAMME

Broadcast by Z.B.W.
on 355 Metres

1-2.15 p.m.—European Programme.
1 p.m.—Local Time and Weather
Report.

1.03 p.m.—Recorded Music.
1.15 p.m.—A Relay of the Hong
Kong Hotel Orchestra from
the Hong Kong Hotel Grill
Room. (By courtesy of the
Management).

1.30 p.m.—Rugby Press News, etc.
2.15 p.m.—Close Down.

RECORDED PROGRAMME FROM
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6-8 p.m.—European Programme.
6-8.30 p.m.—From the Studio.
A Recital by the Successful
(Highest Honour) Candidates at
the recent Trinity College of
Music Examination.

Programme.
1. Lee Kiu Yik (age 9)—See Saw.
2. Ellen Chaw (age 17)—
(a) Toccatina (Handel);
(b) Pavane (Farjeon).

3. Leung Yim Wa (age 15)—
Caprice in D Major (Merkel).
4. Lee Kwok Wei (age 14)—
Arabesque (McDowell).

5. Luk Sau Lin (age 16)—Vogel
als Prophet (Schumann).
6. Amy Wang (age 9)—
(a) Prelude in G (Handel);
(b) Wood Nymph's Dance
(Thomas F. Dunhill).

7. Annett Chan (age 7)—
Allegro Scherzando (Vodorin-
ski).
8.30-6.47 p.m.—Lyric Suite (Grieg,
Op. 54) played by the Royal
Albert Hall Orchestra con-
ducted by Sir Landon Ronald.

1. Shepherd Boy.
2. Norwegian Rustic March.
3. Nocturne.
4. March of the Dwarfs.

7 p.m.—Closing Local Stock Quo-
tations, etc.

6.47-7.15 p.m.—Light Opera.
Vocal Gems—Tolantone (Gilbert
and Sullivan)—Columbia Light
Opera Company.

Selection—Merrie England (Ed-
ward German)—New Sym-
phony Orchestra.

Vocal Gems—Les Cloches De
Corneville (Planquette)—Light
Opera Company.

7.15-7.37 p.m.—Variety.
Vocal—You're Getting to be a
Habit with Me.
Vocal—Shuffle off to Buffalo—
The Four Musketeers.

Medley—Noel Coward Medley—
The B.B.C. Dance Orchestra
Instrumental—I Cover the
Waterfront.

Instrumental—Sweetheart Darlin'
—arranged for Eight Pianos.

7.37-8 p.m.—Light Orchestral
Selections.
Schubert's Love Songs (Scher-
bert)—Berrie)—Marek Weber
and His Orchestra.

Bird Songs at Eventide (Coates)
Gypsy Moon (Borogoff)—Al-
bert Sandler and His Orches-
tra.

Saschinka (Potpourri of Russian
Gypsy Songs and Dances)
(Schlurmann)—Marek Weber
and His Orchestra.

8 p.m.—Local Time and Weather
Report.

8.30-10.30 p.m.—Chinese Studio
Concert.

10.30 p.m.—Rugby Mid-day Press
News.

10.35 p.m.—Close Down.

8.30-10 p.m.—European Recorded
Programme from "Z.B.W." on a
frequency of 640 K.C's.

8.30-8.55 p.m.—Baba Music.
The Mill on the Rock—Overture
(Rollsiger)—The B.B.C.
Wireless Military Band.

Meiselsfeld—Prologue. (Bolto)—
Cretore's Band.

Selections from Meiselsfeld
(Bolto)—Cretore's Band.
II Trovatore—Selection (Verdi)
—Cretore's Band.

8.55-9.30 p.m.—The Entire Musical
Numbers of "He Wanted Ad-
venture" with—Bobby Howes,
Judy Gunn, Marie Burke, Ray-
mond Newell, Wylie Watson,
and the Theatre Chorus and
Orchestra.

9.30-9.47 p.m.—La Valse (Ravel)—
Orchestre De La Societe Des
Concerts, Du Conservatoire,
Paris Conducted by Philippe
Gaubert.

9.47-10 p.m.—Songs by Joseph
Hislop (Tenor).
1. A Pair Well Matched (Lan-
don Ronald).
2. When I am Dead, My Dearest
(Landon Ronald).
3. Ye Banks and Braes (arr.
Lees).
4. O Sing to me the Old Scotch
Songs (Leeson).

10 p.m.—Close Down.

BERLIN PROGRAMME
12.45 p.m.—DJA Announcements
(German, Engl.) German Folk
Song Announcements of Folk
Gramophone.

1 p.m.—Rhine and wine.
1.30 p.m.—Latest News (English).

DIARY OF LOCAL EVENTS

TO-DAY
THURSDAY, JUNE 7.

Cinemas
King's—"Midnight Club"
Queen's—"Looking For Trouble"
Central—"The Song Parade"
(Chinese Picture)

Oriental—"Terror Aboard"
World—"The Two Sisters"
(Chinese Picture)

Alhambra—"The Show Off"
Majestic—"Wild Cargo"
Star—"Men From Chicago"
Meetings

Theosophical Society, 6 p.m.
Speaker: Rev. K. L. Reichelt, D.D.
Tao Fong Shan Christian Institute,
on "Hsuan-Chuang, the great
Chinese Pilgrim of Old."

Miscellaneous
Whist Drives, Civil Service Cric-
ket Club, 8.45 p.m.
R.A.O.B. Club, 8 p.m.
Moon—IV. Moon, 26th Day.

Principal Mails
Inward from America by Pres.
Hoover.
Outward for Europe via Suez by
Aeneas, 2.30 p.m.

Sports
Lawn Bowls—Open Singles, W.
Nolan v. V. Petherick (Recreo
green); J. M. Jack v. J. S. Dinnen
(Kowloon B.G.C. green); J. Wat-
son v. L. de Rome (Kowloon C.C.
green); J. Pooler v. A. F. Paul
(Yacht Club green); G. Duncan v.
C. H. Basto (Civil Service green);
F. J. Jones v. A. W. Grimmitt
(Police green); J. S. Logan v. T. R.
Hunter (Craigengower green).

Lawn Tennis—"B" Division.
Hong Kong C.C. v. University.
Graduates' Association v. Club de
Recreo; Indian R.C. v. Chinese
R.C.; Kowloon C.C. v. South
China.

Sunrise.—5.38 a.m. Sunset.—7.06
p.m.
Tides.—High at 6.10 and 18.00;
Low at 11.57 and 23.45.

FRIDAY, JUNE 8.
Anniversaries and Holidays.—
The Feast of the Most Sacred
Heart.

Auctions.—Crown Land Sale,
District Office, South, 11 a.m.

Cinemas
King's—"Midnight Club"
Queen's—"Looking For Trouble"
Central—"The Song Parade"
(Chinese Picture)

Oriental—"Broadway To Holly-
wood"
World—"The Two Sisters"
(Chinese Picture)

Alhambra—"The Show Off"
Majestic—"Wild Cargo"
Star—"Men From Chicago"
Meetings

Kowloon Union Church General
Committee Meeting, 6.30 p.m.
Efficiency Board Meeting at
Volunteer Headquarters, 5.30 p.m.

Miscellaneous
Claims against the Estate of
James Johnston Brown, late of
Giamorgan, due.

Moon—IV. Moon, 27th Day.
Principal Mails
Inward from America by Pres.
Hayes.

Outward for America and Europe
via Siberia by Pres. Jefferson, 5
p.m.; Air Mail for Europe by
Hakusan Maru, 5 p.m.; Steamer,
6 p.m.

Social
Whist Drive on board H.M.S.
Tamar, Friday, June 8, 8.45 p.m.

Sports
Lawn Tennis—"C" Division.
University v. Civil Service; Police
v. Craigengower; Radio Sports v.
Army T.C.; Indian R.C. v. Chinese
R.C.; Kowloon B.G.C. v. Kowloon
C.C.; South China v. Deutscher
Club; Central British v. Kowloon
Docks.

Sunrise.—5.38 a.m. Sunset.—7.06
p.m.
Tides.—High at 6.49 and 19.40;
Low at 13.04.

1.45 p.m.—Inks-songs.
2.15 p.m.—Timely Topics.
2.30 p.m.—A Little concert.
2.45 p.m.—Latest News (German).
3 p.m.—From the Reichsender
Munich: "Hour of the World."

4 p.m.—Spheres of ancient towns
Old world tunes. Arranged by
Ludwig Plass.

4.45 p.m.—Latest News (English).
5 p.m.—DJA Closing Announce-
ment.

DAVENTRY PROGRAMME
11 a.m.—Time Signal from Big
Tom. The Rutland Square
and New Victoria Orchestra,
directed by Norman Austin,
relayed from the New Victoria
Cinema, Edinburgh. (Time
Signal from Greenwich at 12.)

12 Noon.—A recital of new gram-
ophone records by Christopher
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1-1.30 p.m.—The Midland Studio
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CONFERENCE OF GIANTS

Korean Stripling
Meets Peking Rivals

Peking, May 30.

According to the vernacular
press, Kim Fu-kuei, the Korean
giant, who is described as the
tallest man in the Far East and
the second tallest man in the
world, has left Peking after a brief
visit.

Kim originally intended to go to
Shanghai by way of Hankow and
Nanking but he changed his plans
at the last moment. He departed
for Mukden on Monday evening
and will sail for Shanghai from
Dairen about the middle of next
month. From Shanghai he will go
to the United States, where he
expects to meet the world's tallest
man.

Before leaving Peking, the giant
visited the Zoological Garden out-
side Hsichmen and had a friendly
reception from Peking's two tallest
men, Liu Yu-ching and Wei Chu-
hsien, who for years have acted as
gatekeepers and ticket collectors of
the garden. Incidentally Kim satis-
fied himself that he is much taller
than both Liu and Wei.

Kim stands about eight feet and
six inches high. His feet are nearly
18 inches long and his hands
measure 15 inches from wrist to
finger-tips.

During his short stay here he
paid calls on a number of local
Chinese officials, including Gen-
eral Ho Ying-ching, Acting Chair-
man of the Peking Branch Mil-
itary Council, Mr. Yuan Liang, the
Mayor, and General Yu Chin-ho,
Director of Public Safety.—Reuter

BY YACHT TO NAGASAKI

Capt. Jorgensen's
Trip From Shanghai

Shanghai, June 2.

Carry on a tradition established
a few years ago by Mr. H. Aust,
when he sailed the yacht Chelidon
over to Nagasaki, in company with
the yacht Nidaros in 1931, Captain
S. P. Jorgensen, of the Shanghai
Licensed Pilots Association, is tak-
ing over a two-masted yacht which
was built locally to his design, and
is much smaller than the two who
previously made the trip.

For the past week, she has been
at the Peking Road Jetty, where
Captain Jorgensen could be seen
hard at work in his shirt-sleeves
doing the hundred and one things
necessary before embarking on a
voyage of this nature.

Yesterday evening at 6 o'clock,
after saying good-bye to a few
friends, Captain Jorgensen, ac-
companied by Mr. N. D. Jensen, of
Messrs. Innes and Riddle, left the
jetty and sailed down river. Cap-
tain Jorgensen announced before
he left that owing to the weather
he intended to proceed to Woosung
and tie up there until a favour-
able opportunity arrived to set out
for Nagasaki.

What makes this year's trip so
interesting, however, is the fact
that the yacht Captain Jorgensen
is using is of a type not previous-
ly seen in these waters. The Dan-
ascot is modelled on the
lines of a Danish pilot boat;
the hull is clinker-built, there is
a small cabin forward, opening
into a well deck aft, and she has
a semi-cruiser type stern.

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HOW TRADE MAY BE IMPROVED

SUGGESTIONS BY CHAIRMAN OF CHINESE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Government Help For Experimental Farm

The annual general meeting of the Chinese General Chamber of Commerce was held yesterday afternoon at the Chamber's Headquarters, when the Chairman reviewed the events of the past and presented the accounts for adoption.

Among those present were Mr. Wong Kwong Tin (Chairman), Mr. Lui Yam Shuen (Treasurer), Mr. Chan Ping Au (Secretary), Messrs. Chow Tung Sang, Jackson To, Gock Chin, Mok Lin, Fan Shiu Nam, Siu Lan Ting, Wong Kong Chee, Lo Shut Po, Yung Koon Man, Li Xiu Yat, Kwok Yau Tin, Lau King Ching, Chu Pick Tung, Chan Tat Sam, Fung Ki Cheuk, Yu Cheuk Sam, Chung Chi Lam, Chan Kin Tung, Li Sing Kuli, Chow Sing Chee, Chung Wai Lam, Wong Mow Lam, and many others.

After the accounts had been formally accepted in the usual manner, the Chairman told the meeting that the number of members of this Chamber had increased up to one thousand during the past year. He also expressed his high appreciation of the co-operation of the Executive Committee for the Chamber's success.

Chairman's Address

Addressing the gathering the Chairman said:—

"Gentlemen.—The 21st Annual Report has been in your hands for some time, and I presume that you have all read it. I would however, call your attention to the form in which the annual report of this Chamber appears for the first time. You will notice that there is an English text with it. This text has been introduced at the request of some of our British friends including the Hon. Mr. A. E. Wood late Secretary for Chinese Affairs, the Hon. Mr. C. Gordon Mackie, Chairman of the Hong Kong General Chamber of Commerce, and Mr. G. C. Pelham, H. M. Trade Commissioner. I am sure this section in English is not out of place, and I hope it may prove of interest if not of value to our friends who do not read Chinese."

Late Mr. Ho Leung

Before I proceed with general business of this meeting, I am sure you will all join with me in expressing our regrets at the loss of Mr. Ho Leung, a staunch supporter of our organization. He was Vice-Chairman from 1931-1933 and has been responsible for many improvements for which we are greatly indebted.

Although this Chamber can number among its members, the Chambers of Commerce of the Fukien, Kiangsu, Chekiang and Yunnan Provinces, and the Chamber of Commerce of the different Districts of the Kwangtung Province, besides a number of Trade Organizations, Guilds and Manufacturers' Associations, we still feel that the membership which totals one thousand is still small, taking into consideration the number of Chinese firms in the Colony. It is our earnest desire that those who have not yet joined, should enroll themselves."

Hong Kong's Importance

Hong Kong is the distributing centre for South China. Here come ships flying the flags of every maritime nation, carrying cargo to and from all parts of the world. I think all of us Chinese Merchants ought to feel that Hong Kong is a city, in which we have our heart. We want trade and we do not mind fair competition. Our desire is for peace in the Colony, for progress and for trade. We do not understand, and we are not concerned with politics. We have had bad times, but bad times come and go. It is to be hoped that 1934 will bring about a great improvement. It has occurred to me that there seems to be too much friction and bad feeling everywhere. Employers and employed seem to lack sympathy with one another. Such friction can easily be removed through the medium of organizations, such as this Chamber."

Trade Improvement

I have frequently asked people how trade might be improved. Among many suggestions I have received, I pass on to you the following as being worthy of consideration:—

1. By encouraging and assisting farmers in the New Territories to increase their products of food-stuffs, particularly in the direction of pigs, cattle, poultry and eggs, thereby keeping and circulating within the Colony and for the benefit of the Colony, some of the money which is now spent outside the Colony."

2. By inauguration of an Experimental Live Stock and Poultry Farm, which would require Government assistance, so as to be able to afford experiments for the purpose of discovering the best type of live stock and poultry to breed, and which would place the information gained and all helpful advice at the disposal of the poor farmers in the New Territories. It would be necessary also to endeavour to grow in the New Territories as much foodstuffs as possible to feed the pigs and poultry, and this also would require the assistance of the experts of the said Experimental Farm."

3. By encouraging the planting of wood-oil plants and sugar-canes and establishing up-to-date factories for extracting oil and sugar, and requesting the Government to give land facilities at reduced rates."

4. By improving transport and trading facilities, the most important being (a) The linking up of the Canton-Hankow and the Kowloon-Canton railways and (b) The provision of a telephone trunk line to Shanghai via Swatow, Amoy and Eoehow."

5. By improving the fishing industry, such as the method of fresh water culture, and by providing up-to-date crafts for deep sea fishing."

6. By forming a permanent Consulting Committee consisting of Europeans and Chinese bankers, merchants and industrialists to consult together from time to time, on the economic position of the Colony in general and on ways and means in particular for improving local conditions of trade and manufacture, and also by forming an annual and quarterly Inter-Chamber Dinner with members of two Chambers participating, so that European and Chinese merchants may come close contact with each other."

Reduced Rates

7. By requesting the Government to mark out certain parts of land in New Kowloon, such as Shum-shui-po, Lal-chee-kok and Sung Wong Toi for construction and industrial purposes for a period of five years without premium, but to pay Crown Rent. In the sixth year, premium is to be paid by instalments at a fixed rate, and when they have been fully paid, then the land should become the property of the occupier, and at the same time, it would give work to the unemployed, so that both employers and unemployed can be mutually benefited."

8. By discontinuing Land Sales on the part of Government for a period of two years, except for industrial and special purposes, applications for the ground to be determined by a board, nominated for that purpose."

9. By requesting the Government to improve the methods of searching at the different wharves."

10. By requesting the Government to reduce rates, taxes and water-rates, in order to help in relieving the burden of the land owners."

Should you approve of all or any of these recommendations, I would be happy to have your expression of opinion, so that I may forward same for the favourable consideration of the Government. I may add that your Committee have considered the above recommendations and approved same."

Chinese Schools In Hong Kong

INTERESTING SPEECH BY SIR WILLIAM HORNELL

Is The Local University Standard Too High?

Very interesting views on the question of education in local Chinese schools were expressed yesterday when the Chinese Teachers' Association commemorated Teachers' Day. The teachers from every Chinese School in the Colony were present at the King's Theatre where the function was held.

Mr. Chan Tii Yat presided over the gathering and amongst those present were Sir Shou-son Chow, Sir William Hornell and Professor L. Forster, all of whom addressed the gathering.

First "Teacher's Day" In Hong Kong

The Chairman in a brief speech explained that the object of the meeting, which was the first of its kind, was to bring those responsible for the teaching of Chinese, in closer touch with each other. Further such a meeting would tend to uphold the prestige of the Chinese teacher."

Sir Shou-son Chow with typical Chinese modesty, explained to the gathering that he spoke with great diffidence, because he was neither a teacher nor an orator. Although he was Chairman of the King's Theatre, he assured the gathering that he had never before spoken from its stage."

Sir Shou-son Chow pointed out that a teacher's task was no easy one, and that a teacher shared with a boy's parents, the responsibility of the boy's future life. That was why the teacher in China was held in such veneration and respect."

A regular union of teachers and a uniformity of method in teaching, said Sir Shou-son Chow, would ultimately lead to a united nation."

SIR WILLIAM HORNELL

Sir William Hornell in his address, said:—

When Mr. Ching Hing Chow came and asked me to attend this celebration, I had, I am ashamed to say, never heard of the Chinese Teachers' Association. There are Societies and Associations in this Colony and indeed everywhere, which meet annually, consume tea or some other alleged innocuous beverage, proclaim mostly in platitudes the most exquisite sentiments and aspirations, and then disperse for another year during which period the only activity shown is the frantic and frequently unavailing efforts on the part of the Hon. Treasurer to collect members' subscriptions. I am therefore going to venture on the statement that there is throughout this Colony a demand for instruction in schools the persistence of which is irresistible. Every parent wants not only his sons but his daughters to attend some school; the demand has long since outgrown the supply of Government and Government-aided schools."

Examinations Unsatisfactory

The members of this Association, are, I understand, teachers in vernacular primary schools also in unaided schools of a wider range. The age range of the pupils in the latter schools cover childhood and adolescence. Some of the schools in the latter category send candidates for the Matriculation Examination of the University. Now I have not visited many schools in Hong Kong and I have never been privileged to watch a Hong Kong school working. But this I do know that the

results of the school examinations which the University conducts are not satisfactory and that the Staff of the University are not altogether satisfied with the capacity which those few boys and girls who come to the University possess. Now this ought not to be so. University courses should not be beyond the power of the average intelligent boy or girl who has been through what we should call in England a secondary school course. But not a few of those boys and girls who finally get to the University do in effect find it difficult to pass their examination. You may say that the standards of the Hong Kong University are too high. The founders of the University insisted that these standards should be comparable with those which obtain in England."

High Standards

If a Chinese parent wants his son or daughter to become a doctor on the basis of the Hong Kong University medical degree, he must realize that the qualifications aimed at must be those which will enable the boy or girl to practice medicine not only in this Colony but also in Great Britain and Ireland and indeed throughout the British Empire. If a young man wants to secure our engineering degree he is aiming at something which examiners appointed in London are going to appraise. I know that most of my students are earnest workers; I know also that they find the University examinations exceedingly difficult. There is something wrong somewhere."

Language Difficulty

The supreme difficulty of school education in Hong Kong is the difficulty of language. Chinese is a language by itself; it is something quite different from all other languages, but this difference must not be allowed to blind us to the fact that you can not think clearly unless you can express your thought lucidly and that the medium of thought is language, whether that language be Chinese or English or Greek or Latin. Your pupils are Chinese. They must of course acquire facility and lucidity of expression in their own language."

Now I am not a Chinese scholar; indeed I do not know Chinese at all. Nobody is more conscious than I am what a handicap to me this ignorance of Chinese is. Therefore I cannot advise you as to how you should teach Chinese. But boys and girls who have got to face the world under the conditions that prevail to-day must have lucidity of expression at least in their own language. This is your problem and it is no exaggeration to say that it is a problem on which the future of the Chinese community of Hong Kong largely depends. It is a commonplace to say that a teacher has great responsibilities. Of course he has. But a teacher is human and he is not going to obtain efficiency by mere reflection on those responsibilities. The only way to be an effective teacher is to regard the training of your pupils as a problem of living and daily interest, a problem which you will never solve, but a problem in the honest tackling of which you will obtain satisfaction."

You have formed yourselves into an Association and you are now celebrating "Teachers' Day." But this Association is not going to help you in the least so long as you regard it as institution which merely provides occasions like this—occasions when teachers as-

semble to listen to what others have to say. You must always be trying new methods, making fresh appeals. You must collate the experiences which each one of you individually acquires in your classrooms; you must get together and discuss your problems in the light of your mutual experiences. If you do this your Association will be a success even though the public does not hear very much about it. You are dealing with living material—boys and girls not with automatic machines. Your contact with them must be vital. If it is not your pupils will waste most of the hours which they spend in your classrooms and your life, your work, will be a monotonous process of unrelieved drudgery."

PROFESSOR FORSTER

Professor Forster said:—

It is only in China I think that we celebrate a teachers' day and it is only in China that one would expect to do so, for in no country in the world is the teacher so highly honoured and esteemed as he is among the Chinese. The great Confucius was not only a teacher he was an adviser to the Emperor and statesmen. In the book by Sir Reginald Johnston this fact is clearly brought out, viz. that the Royal tutor or teacher occupies a position that is only equalled by the most important statesmen. He had privileges which placed him above ordinary folk. Then I understand that in wedding ceremonies the bride and bride-groom bowed to the teacher who with the parents had been responsible for the upbringing. The teacher is the centre and the pivot of the whole educational system."

You may build schools of grand architectural design, adorn them with lofty towers; you may have the most expensive and elaborate equipment, and you may have a thousand pupils, but there is no meaning and no life imparted to the scheme until the teacher begins to function."

It is the quality of the headmaster and his assistants which in the long run determines the character of the school."

The Rising Generation.

It is only through the teacher that the social system can be improved for on the rising generation depends the future of the state. All great thinkers have recognised this."

When Pestalozzi in 1793 saw the wretched state of the children who had suffered as a result of the French Revolution a few years earlier he set about the task of educating them and succeeded to such a remarkable degree in transforming them in appearance, in habit and in ability, that his name is forever enshrined in the hearts of his Swiss people, because of his magnificent work."

The spirit of this great teacher still flourishes in Switzerland. When Germany in 1806 lay crushed under the heel of Napoleon, it was Fichte the great German philosopher who turned to the schoolmaster to get the help necessary for building up the new Germany. So in Denmark in 1861 after the country had suffered the loss of a province, Dalgas one of the Danish leaders said we must win from within what has been lost without and then there began a folk high school movement, which reinvigorated the whole nation, because the teachers who were put in charge of these schools were people of outstanding character."

It is not necessary to labour the point or illustrate it still further by reference to some of the great English headmasters like Arnold of Rugby, Thring of Uppingham, Almond of Loretto, or Sanderson of Oundle. These men live to-day in the character of the schools they built up, and in the pupils who were trained directly by them, or influenced by the traditions they created. A teacher has a tremendous responsibility for to a large extent he determines the quality of the nation in the next generation."

Are You Prepared?

The first question, therefore, which a teacher must ask himself is whether he is properly prepared for the task which is before him. Has he taken the trouble to find out what the aims of education are and should be, is he acquainted with the best methods or technique for training his pupils. He must not only have knowledge but he must know how to impart it. Now I think he ought to

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The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from FRIDAY, 1st day of JUNE, to MONDAY, the 11th day of JUNE, 1934, both days inclusive.

JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON,
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Hong Kong, 24th May, 1934.
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By order of the Board of Directors.
E. M. BARRETT,
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MIGRATION WITHIN THE EMPIRE

Uneven distribution of the world's population is one of the unsolved major problems of our time. It is a matter of the greatest urgency to two great industrial countries, Japan and Great Britain. To the former no need seems more imperative than that of finding new spaces into which she may pour the overflow of her increasing and cramped millions; and Great Britain, densely populated, has not had since the war that natural outlet for her surplus which at one time was provided by emigration to the Dominions. In contrast with these crowded areas are the vast empty spaces of Canada, rich not only in potential ploughlands but in mineral resources as yet scarcely tapped; and the continent of Australia, with her 3,000,000 square miles of territory and an average of two square miles of little more than two persons.

Some time ago the British Government appointed a departmental committee which is examining the question of how emigration from Britain may be resumed, and when its report is ready ministers will get in touch with the dominion governments and endeavour to come to a working arrangement. The problem bristles with difficulties, which were fully recognized in the course of a recent debate in the House of Commons. It was pointed out that it would be worth while for the British Government to spend money on schemes of emigration, since these would relieve it of some expenditure on unemployment at home. But is it important for two reasons not to regard such schemes as methods of relieving the unemployed. First, because British workmen are disposed to resent the idea that an offer to work should be coupled with a sentence of exile; second, because the Dominions are unwilling to be used as dumping grounds for the unemployed.

The industrialized worker cannot be taken suddenly from a town and put down to do pioneer work on virgin soil in a distant country. Emigrants should be men already accustomed to a countryman's life, or young men from towns who, by

a long course of farm training at home, have proved their fitness. A carefully organized scheme of emigration, sufficiently provided with funds, undoubtedly would be able to find, year by year, thousands of young men fitted for dominion life and willing to embark on it. But that is not enough. It is necessary also that the Dominions should be willing to accommodate them. And this, at the moment, is the main difficulty. Canada and Australia—Australia in a marked degree—have their own anxieties about unemployment. What is the use, they say, of taking more men when we cannot find enough work for our own? Moreover they are faced to face with one of the major economic problems of the world—that of finding markets for the primary products of the soil, and something more than a meagre subsistence for those who labour with their hands in producing them. Thus emigration, so necessary for Britain and for other countries, is itself dependent on better organization of the transport and marketing of goods. So far as the Empire is concerned, no plan can succeed which does not carry with it the fullest co-operation of the dominion governments, and the conviction that it is to their interest to people their empty spaces.

The British Government, which has promised to expedite its inquiry, has wisely announced that it has no intention of handing to the Dominions a cut-and-dried scheme, but is preparing draft proposals on which it is hoped both sides may collaborate in hammering into shape. The discussions will turn on two main points—the organized assistance of emigrants to suitable districts, and the stimulation of markets for dominion products.

MERTHYR TYDVIL
BYE-ELECTION

London, June 6.
By a reduced majority, the Labour Party yesterday retained the Merthyr Tydvil Parliamentary seat at the bye-election caused by the death of Mr. R. C. Wallhead.

The polling was as follows:
Mr. S. O. Davies, Labour, 18,645 votes.

Mr. J. V. Evans, Liberal, 10,376 votes.

Mr. Campbell-Stephens, Independent Labour, 3,508 votes.

Mr. Walter Hannington, Communist, 3,499 votes.

At the last General Election, in a straight fight with the New Party candidate, the late Mr. Wallhead polled a majority of 13,781 votes.—Reuter.

BOXER FUNDS
ALLOTMENT

For Sun Yat Sen
University

(From Our Special Correspondent)

Canton, June 6.
Mr. Chow Lu, President of Sun Yat Sen University, is in receipt of a telegram from the Ministry of Education informing him that the Board of Trustees of the British Boxer Indemnity Fund, has decided to grant \$150,000 Mex. to the university here for construction expenses.

This sum is paid in three annual instalments. The university is in need of funds to complete the buildings and grounds at Shek Pei on the eastern outskirts of the city. Some of the buildings will be completed in time for the autumn term when the Schools of Agriculture, Science and Engineering will be moved there.

The new campus is located in the open country with beautiful surroundings, coupled with mountain and river views in the background. Funds for the construction expenses are partly secured from taxes on imported cement and fertilisers.

RISE IN VALUE
OF BANKNOTES

Reaction to Tax
Increase

(From Our Special Correspondent)

Canton, June 6.
Provincial banknotes of \$5 and \$1 denominations to-day reached 95 cents per dollar and are likely to attain their full value before long. This rise is due to the fact that the Provincial Department of Finance will levy for the third time another 20 per cent. surtax on imported agricultural products after June 15.

The original agricultural tax is \$1.00 Mex. per picul and the latest surtax will raise it to \$1.69 Mex. per picul. Like all other government imposts, this agricultural tax is payable in provincial banknotes. As the Provincial Department of Finance accepts its own notes, and are increasing taxation, the paper money is slowly rising up to par value.

By the end of the month the total amount of one-dollar and five-dollar notes will be decreased to \$9,000,000, the total amount being \$11,000,000. A 20 per cent. surtax on nine excises is withdrawn from circulation as a means to diminish the amount of notes and to enhance those in circulation.

If there is no unfavourable political development, the notes will be fully stabilized by July, if not sooner. What they need is public confidence.

On the other hand, the municipal banknotes are worth to-day only 80.5 cents per dollar. The total amount of such notes in circulation is about \$1,500,000, while the Canton Municipal Bank claims to have assets more than that amount. As a result of this depreciation, only one half of municipal rates and taxes are accepted in municipal notes, the other half being payable in provincial banknotes.

The Canton City Government is devising a practical scheme to stabilize its declining paper money. Previous schemes did not turn out to be satisfactory.

SHANGHAI AND
H.K. DOLLARS

Effect on U.S.
Silver Bill

New York, June 6.
Realizing that the Silver Bill treats Shanghai and Hong Kong dollars as silver bullion on which a fifty per cent. tax on profits is payable under the Bill, a number of large local banks has suspended dealings therein pending the determination of measures in the final provisions.—Reuter.

WINDSOR LAD WINS BY
A LENGTH

EASTON SECOND A NECK IN
FRONT OF COLOMBO

Thrilling Finish In
The Derby

London, June 6.

The result of the Derby is as follows:—
1.—H.H. the Maharajah of Rajppla's Windsor Lad (C. Smirke)
2.—Lord Woolavington's Easton (Gordon Richards)
3.—Lord Glanely's Colombo (W. Johnston).
Won by a length; a neck between second and third.
Bettings:—15/2 Windsor Lad; 100/9 Easton; 11/8 Colombo.
Special Place Betting:—13/8 Windsor Lad; 4/8 Colombo and Easton.

Also ran:—Allshah (Perryman), Admiral Drake (Elliott), Badraddin (Fox) Baron Marchausen (C. Richards), Bondsman (Childs), Horney Rise (Taylor), Medieval Knight (Donoghue), On Top (Caldwell), Patriot King (Bezan), Pride of Chilterns (Herbert), Primerio (Ray), Rathmore (Beary), Tiberius (Nicol), Umidwar (H. Wragge), Valerius (Jones), Fleet Foot (Wells).—Reuter.

FULL DESCRIPTION OF RACE

London, June 6.

Colombo went to the post behaving in exemplary manner. Umidwar was a little fractious but the start was a good one and Medieval Knight (Donoghue) led slightly from Colombo (Johnstone). Bondsman (Childs) and Easton (Richards), On Top (Caldwell) and Windsor Lad (Smirke), Valerius (Jones) was last.

After a quarter of a mile Medieval Knight led from Colombo and Bondsman. Passing the Mile Post, Medieval Knight was still in the lead with Bondsman, Colombo, Windsor Lad, Easton, Horney Rise (Taylor) and Primerio (Ray) following in that order.

Coming downhill Tiberius (Nicol) shot into the lead in front of Windsor Lad, Medieval Knight, Bondsman and Colombo.

At Tottenham Corner Tiberius led from Windsor Lad, Medieval Knight, Easton, Colombo, Badraddin (Fox), Allshah (Perryman), Colombo Unlucky.

Colombo swung wide into the straight where Windsor Lad took command of things followed by Easton, Colombo, Tiberius, and Allshah with Medieval Knight dropping back.

The race home was most thrilling. Smirke holding Windsor Lad in front just long enough to win by a neck, while Colombo put up a great effort to catch Easton, coming within a neck as the two flashed past the post. Tiberius was fourth, well up, Allshah fifth, Umidwar sixth, Valerius seventh and Admiral Drake last.

The time equalled the record established by Hyperion, being 2 minutes 34 seconds.—Reuter

WINDSOR LAD

Readers of the Daily Press will have noticed that Windsor Lad had been nominated several times during the past week as a very good outsider for the Derby. The horse won the Chester Vase last month in convincing fashion and he is the third horse within recent years to have won the Derby after winning the Chester Vase, the others in the same category being Papyrus and Hyperion. As a two-year-old Windsor Lad won the Criterion Stakes and his first appearance this year was in the Chester Vase which he won from Parnemo and Valerius.

Marcus Marsh was the trainer of Windsor Lad and Smirke, who rode him in the Derby will come once again into prominence as one of the foremost jockeys at home. It will be recalled that he was suspended for five years and was only recently re-instated. At the time of his suspension, Smirke was one of the leading jockeys of the day.

Windsor Lad, apparently was never properly wound up at two years old. He must have made great improvements since his success in the Criterion Stakes. As recently as May 10, this year, the following was written of Windsor Lad. "He has not the quality of a potential classic winner. He is strongly built and is of the lengthy type, bred by Blandford. His quarters and loins are wide and spreading and very much like those of a steeplechaser with pronouncedly pointed round bones."

There is a suggestion of being slightly back at the knee, and the feet are rather shallow and spreading. He stays well and he is a genuine colt. He has been exceedingly well trained by Marcus Marsh, but I cannot put him within a stone's throw of winning.

of Colombo. That, I think, is putting it modestly enough."

EASTON

After the two thousand Guineas, Easton was acquired by Lord Woolavington. It is reported at £10,000. The colt's running against Colombo in the Guineas, where he finished second, gave rise to the hope that should Colombo be found wanting in stamina, Easton would be the horse to account for him. The Beckhampton stable had Easton and Medieval Knight in yesterday's race and it was not until a few days ago that it was decided that Easton should be Gordon Richards' mount while Medieval Knight was to go to the post under Steve Donoghue. Ever since the Guineas, the bookmakers do not appear to have given any attractive odds against this horse and his place in the Derby was no surprise to anyone. It was felt that Easton had not time to settle down after crossing over from France before he was asked to race in the Guineas, and therefore his chances in the Derby were considered bright. He is not entered for the Leger.

Lord Woolavington who owned Easton had won the Derby twice with Captain Cuttle in 1922 and Coronach in 1926.

COLOMBO

Colombo will go down in history as one of the best horses to have raced in England. As a two-year-old he was unbeatable. This year he had never sustained defeat and was therefore a hot favourite for the Derby. His total winnings to date, representing ten consecutive victories amount to £27,000. His defeat yesterday will not make him any less favourite in the minds of the people. He will probably run in the Prince of Wales Stakes before the St. Leger.

A bay colt, Colombo is by Manna (Derby winner 1925) out of Lady Naima.

In his last appearance on the course, in the two thousand Guineas which he won with Johnston up, the following was written of him: "When he finished in front of Lord Woolavington's new acquisition, Easton, he looked nearly all out, whereas Easton, the third favourite for the Derby, finished quite strongly, and, if anything, nearer to Colombo than he had been when less than a furlong from the post."

The slight rain yesterday at Epsom may have accounted for Colombo's swerve at Tottenham corner.

SOME OF THE OTHERS

Tiberius finishing fourth was somewhat unexpected, while Medieval Knight's attempt to run away with the race proved unavailing. It is obvious that the Aga Khan's candidate Umidwar is underrated, but no follower of racing will overlook his chances in the St. Leger.

For four years in succession since 1924, the favourite won the Derby. The winners were Sansovino, Manna, Coronach, and Call Boy. Then followed three outsiders: In 1928, 1929 and 1930. These were Felstead, Trigo, and Blenheim. In 1931 Cameronian was not favourite when he won, but in 1932, Mr. Tom Wall's April V. was an outsider. A favourite came in when Hyperion won, and this year it was again an outsider's turn to win.

NEWS SUMMARY

Sir William Hornell and Professor L. Forster gave interesting address at the celebration of "Teacher's Day" held yesterday.

The members of the Catholic Union Club all celebrating the feast of The Sacred Heart tomorrow.

Swimming notes by "Salmon" appear on page 10.

The enquiry into the tragic gas explosion disaster at West Point on May 14 was continued yesterday when evidence in regard to the work done by the Fire Brigade and the possible cause of the explosion was given.

Echoes of 1861, extracts from our files, are given on page 6.

Round the Courts, our daily resume of all cases taken in the local Courts appear on page 8.

The annual meeting of the Chinese Chamber of Commerce was held yesterday. A report appears on page 7.

The sentence on Private Arthur Thompson of the Lincolnshire Regiment by a military court Martial has received the confirmation of the G.O.C.

All the latest news from London up till May 20, is given in our All Mail Letter from that City.

Cinema fans will find much to interest them in the cinema supplement on page 5.

Yesterday's activities on the share and exchange markets are reviewed in our Money and Markets section.

The wireless programme for to-day, from ZBW (Hongkong), Daventry and Berlin, will be found on page 4.

The full text of a letter from the Chairman of Board of Directors of the National City Bank of New York to the shareholders appears on page 9.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

One case of cerebro-spinal fever was reported for the 24 hours ended on June 5.

The European Y.M.C.A. are holding a tea-dance in the West Lounge, Kowloon, on Tuesday, June 12.

Two cases of small-pox, eight of diphtheria, two of enteric fever, five of cerebro-spinal fever, one of yellow fever and 47 tuberculosis were reported for the week-ended June 2.

Ho Ng, a coolie of No. 12 Centre Street was admitted to the Government Civil Hospital on Tuesday afternoon after being knocked down by public taxi No. 566 in Des Voeux Road West.

The European Y.M.C.A. are holding their first afternoon launch picnic this Saturday, leaving the Police Pier at 2.30 p.m. and returning at 6.30 p.m. Tickets of \$1 each are on sale at the General office.

Lam Yuk-kwai a Chinese female residing in Bridges Street was sent to the Government Civil Hospital late on Tuesday night suffering from bodily injuries, as a result of an assault by three unknown Chinese males.

Chiu Shan, a sixteen year old Chinese boy was admitted to the Government Civil Hospital on Tuesday afternoon, suffering from facial injuries as a result of being knocked down by motor cycle No. 1194 ridden by Mr. J. Hicks Maycock, residing at No. 6 Army Ordnance Depot, Kennedy Road.

Sanitary Inspector A.W.T. White of the Kennedy Town Abattoir in a report to the Police stated, that at about 7.40 a.m. on Tuesday morning while shooting a bullock with a .44 Winchester rifle, the bullet passed through the bullock, penetrated a door and entered the forearm of a Chinese butcher, Ng Luk, who was standing near the door. The latter was sent to the Government Civil Hospital where his condition was reported as not serious.

A wedding will be held in Christ Church, Shamen, this month, when Miss Elizabeth Newgen Hack, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Hack, will marry Mr. Clement Guy Satterthwaite, of Vickers, Ltd. The date has been fixed for 14th, and the reception will afterwards be held at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Batchelor. Mr. Batchelor, the Manager of Messrs. Deacon and Co., is the bride's uncle, and in the absence of her father he will give her away. The bride's only attendant will be Mrs. R. K. Batchelor. This will be the first wedding to be held in Shamen for some considerable time.

BRITAIN'S WAR DEBT DEFAULT

Reasons Explained By Mr. Chamberlain

London, June 5. The Chancellor of the Exchequer, Mr. Neville Chamberlain, to-day, issued his promised statement on war debts, which was followed by the issue of a White Paper containing the recent correspondence on the subject between the British and the United States Government.

Mr. Chamberlain recalled that the British Government, in a note of December 1, 1932, gave a full statement of the reasons which convinced them that the system of "inter-Governmental war debt obligations as it existed before the Hoover Moratorium could not be revived, and that a radical revision of the existing settlements was essential.

The United States Government, in their note of December 7, 1932, welcomed the suggestion for a close examination of the whole subject between the two countries.

The British Government paid the instalment due on December 15, 1932, in gold, explaining that this payment was not to be regarded as the resumption of annual payments under the existing agreement, and that it was made because the United States Government had stated that, in their opinion, such payment would greatly increase the prospect of a satisfactory approach to the whole problem.

Discussions took place both in the Spring and Autumn of last year, but it was not found possible to arrive at a settlement acceptable to the two countries.

Token Payments.

On June 15 and December 15, 1933, the British Government made token payments in acknowledgement of their debt, and on each occasion the President of the United States expressed a personal view that he would not regard the British Government as in default.

Mr. Chamberlain continued: "The British Government would have been prepared to make a further payment on June 15 in acknowledgement of the debt and without prejudice to their right again to present the case for its readjustment on the assumption that they would again have received the President's declaration that he would not consider them in default.

"But they understand that in consequence of the recent legislation passed in the United States, that such a declaration is no longer possible, so that the procedure adopted by common agreement in 1933 cannot be followed on the present occasion.

"In fact, our Ambassador was informed by the United States Administration on May 11, that any Government failing to pay in full the instalment due under the existing agreement on June 14 would have to be regarded as in default, and on May 25, the Treasury of the United States addressed a communication to the British Government setting out the details of the various items, including arrears of U.S.\$196,000,000 due last year and amounting altogether to a sum of U.S.\$262,000,000 or over £50,000,000 due on June 15."

Two Alternatives.

His Majesty's Government were therefore, in these circumstances, faced with the alternative: either of paying this sum of £50,000,000 in full and of paying a further sum of over £20,000,000 on December 15 next, that is to say, over £70,000,000 for the current year, or of suspending all interim payments pending final revision, by agreement, of the existing war debt settlement.

The first of these alternatives would necessitate a corresponding demand by the British Government from their own war debtors, for it would not be possible to contemplate a situation in which Britain would be called upon to resume payment of their war obligations to others in full while continuing to suspend all demands for payment of war obligations due to them.

The resumption of full payments to the United States would therefore revive the whole system of inter-Governmental war debt payments, and would postpone indefinitely the chances of world recovery.

After full deliberation, the British Government came to the conclusion that they could not assume the responsibility of adopting a

course attended by such disastrous consequences.

"Accordingly," said Mr. Chamberlain, they have addressed to the United States Government a note in which, after briefly restating their views on the whole question of the war debt, they state that while deeply regretting the circumstances, which have imposed upon them the necessity for such a decision, they have concluded that they must suspend further payments until it becomes possible to discuss an ultimate settlement, or inter-Governmental war debts with a reasonable prospect of agreement.

No Repudiation of Obligations. "The British Government," he continued, "have again made it clear that they have no intention of repudiating their obligations and will be prepared to enter upon further discussion on the subject at any time when, in the opinion of the President of the United States, such discussions would be likely to produce results of value."

The British note, which contains several striking passages, states that nothing has since occurred to cause the British Government to change its views expressed in their note of December 1, 1932, when reasons were given for their belief that the existing system of inter-Governmental war debt obligations had broken down.

"The present settlement, it is argued, imposes a burden on the British people which is unreasonable in itself and inequitable in relation to the treatment accorded to other countries.

"In respect of war advances totalling U.S.\$4,277,000,000 payments totalling U.S.\$2,025,000,000 have been made to date by the British Government to the United States Government. Yet the nominal amount of the debt still outstanding amounts to U.S.\$4,713,785,000.

While Britain borrowed U.S.\$4,277,000,000 from the United States, they themselves made war advances to allied Powers totalling £1,600,000,000.

Britain's Heavy Burden.

She has paid over to the United States all the amounts recovered from war debts. If the United States feel the burden of their war advance of U.S.\$10,050,000,000, against which they have received U.S.\$2,703,000,000, how much heavier is the burden of the United Kingdom, which, with one-third of America's population, has had to meet the full charges of its war advances of U.S.\$7,800,000,000 without any net receipts against the charges, and has, in addition, made large payments out of its own resources in war debts to America.

The note pointed out that the British Government suspended their claims on debtors in the hope of a general decision but cannot contemplate a step in which they would meet their obligations, to others while continuing to suspend payments due to them.

As to Britain's improved budgetary situation, which is due to unprecedented sacrifices made by the British nation since the war, they have been carrying a burden of £8,000,000,000 (£40,000,000,000) or £170 (£850) per head of population, about one-fifth of which represents war loans made to the Allied Governments.

Unparalleled Taxation.

For 15 years they have been paying taxation on a scale for which it would be hard to find a parallel. During all that time, taxation has been heavier in Britain, and for a considerable period, it was twice as high as in the United States, including all Federal, State and local taxation.

This taxation, amounting to close on one-quarter of the national income, has aggravated the British problems over a long period, and the necessity of maintaining an army of unemployed has constituted a formidable problem to national finance ever since the war ended.

In order to restore national credit in 1931, the British people accepted patiently and hopefully the increase in taxation, accompanied by the rigorous control of expenditure, cuts in salaries, and allowances of the unemployed, and but for these measures, the Budget would have again showed a deficit last year had it not been possible to secure, by a conversion operation, a reversion of interest on the charge proportion of the public debt.

DEBT DEFAULT

Acclaimed By France

[Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press" (Copyright)]

Paris, June 5. Great Britain's refusal to make the United States even a symbolic payment by instalment of the War Debts due on June 5 is acclaimed with satisfaction by the whole French Press since from now onwards France is no longer the only great Power in default, so that France's former attitude seems now to have become regulated by the action of Britain.

Many papers express the hope that the United States will now be disposed to enter into negotiations about the new regulation of the War debts but in view of the obstacles placed in the way by Congress, the possibility of President Roosevelt being able to pursue this policy in the near future is doubtful.—Transocean Kuo Min.

CHINESE AIR MISSION

Visit to Breda Works

Milan, April 11.

A Chinese Mission paid an extensive visit to the Breda Works yesterday. The Mission consisted of Messrs. General Fu Ling-yu, Director of Military Publications; Teng Chiek, Secretary of the Chinese Youth organization; Colonel Cheng Ching-ming of the General Staff; Li Kwo, Chief of the Nanking Police; Cheng Yung-ming of the Military Academy, and Professor Wu Tang, B.A., J.D.

A special demonstration of Breda aircraft was staged on the Company's aerodrome, after the Mission had been shown through the several factories.

The demonstration consisted of flights by the "Breda 15" "Breda 39" and "Breda 25" planes, the latter being put through a set of remarkable aerobatics by Cav. Monti, Chief Instructor of the Breda Aviation School.

The feature of the demonstration, however, was the exhibition flight made on the Company's latest pursuit plane, the "Breda 27" by Ing. Colombo. War-time ace and Head Pilot of the Breda Aircraft Works, the "Breda 27" which is capable of a top speed of over 390 kilometers per hour (245 m.p.h.) and is equipped with two half-inch machine guns, was demonstrated in a display of masterly aerobatics which emphasized the plane's astonishing maneuverability and supple responsiveness to the controls. During the display, the plane carried its full military equipment.

The flying qualities of the "Breda 27" generally associated with light aeroplanes especially built for displays of aerobatics such as have been seen in China, are seldom if ever met with in high-powered military planes, and were commented upon with enthusiasm by the members of the Chinese Mission.

YANG TIEH MISSION

Luncheon in London

London, June 5.

General Yang Tieh, head of the Chinese Mission of air experts on a visit to Europe, was present at the Epsom Derby to-day. He will proceed to Berlin to-morrow.

He had a long conversation yesterday with Lord Hailsham, Secretary of State for War.

Mr. Quo Tai Chi, luncheon with the Chinese Mission and the guests included Sir Herbert Greedy, Sir Phillips Ready and Air Vice-Admiral Sir Edgar Ludlow Hewitt.—Reuter.

Gross Injustice To People

This enabled the Government to re-adjust the finances imposed in 1931, and to restore part of the cuts of salaries and the whole of the cut in unemployment allowances, the continuance of which was imposed ever since on the nation's conscience.

It would have been gross act of legal injustice to have deluded the British people into paying the United States while suspending war debts due to the United Kingdom, the note adds.—British Wire-
less.

HUNGARIA AND YUGOSLAVIA

Frontier Dispute

[Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press" (Copyright)]

Geneva, June 5. The League of Nations Council at Tuesday's public session considered the Hungarian-Yugoslavian frontier dispute. The Hungarian delegate asserted that acts of violence against Hungarian nationals had been perpetrated for years past, thirty one persons having fallen victims, and proposed the appointment of a mixed Hungarian and Yugoslav Commission to examine the incidents and episodes.

The Yugoslavian Delegate said his Government desired amicable settlement. Thereupon the President of the League of Nations Council recommended both parties to try to settle the disputes by direct negotiations.—Transocean Kuo Min.

SILVER MARKET

(From Our Own Correspondent)

London, June 5. London silver prices to-day were up 1 for spot and up 3/16 for forward as follows:—

	June 5.	June 6.
Spot	19.11/16	19.13/16
Forward	19.11/16	19.1

The London on New York cross-rate at 2.00 p.m. to-day was 5.05-1 compared with 5.03-1 at yesterday's closing.

NATIONAL CITY BANK OF NEW YORK

Board Chairman's Letter To Shareholders

Shanghai, June 5.

The following is the full text of a letter mailed on June 4, 1934, to the Shareholders of the National City Bank of New York by the Chairman of the Board, Mr. James H. Perkins:—

"The Banking Act of 1933 passed last June required the divorce of commercial banking from investment banking within a period of one year. I felt that the National City Bank of New York should support the policy of Congress in both the letter and the spirit. In the year which has passed we have been endeavouring to find a way to fully meet this policy, and at the same time preserve any goodwill value there might be in the business of the City Company of New York Inc., formerly the National City Company."

"Goodwill is a nebulous thing. Insofar as it is attached to the name of the City Company it cannot be realised on, because the continued use of the name would identify the user with the Bank and that cannot be permitted without control by the Bank, which is forbidden by law. Insofar as it may be represented by personnel trained in investment banking business, such personnel consists of three individuals whom the City Company is not in a position to deliver to a prospective purchaser."

"The ownership of control of an Investment Banking Company by the shareholders of a Bank would be unlawful, whether such ownership came from distribution of stock of the City Company or from purchase of the business of the City Company."

"The organization of a new Investment Banking concern as a successor to the City Company and in which shareholders of the Bank would be offered less than a controlling interest would involve in the first place a recommendation by the Bank to its shareholders to place new capital or to leave a substantial amount of old capital at the risk of future securities business and in the second place sponsorship by the Bank of a new Investment Banking concern without power on the part of the Bank to control its policies. Your Directors after mature consideration then were unwilling to place the Bank back of such a plan. I personally believe in future the Bank should be free of any connection either

WORLD AIR CONTEST

Stunt Flyers Competing

[Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press" (Copyright)]

Paris, June 5. Another world championship will be hotly contested at Vincennes on June 9 and 10 when on the invitation of the "Air Propaganda Society" for the promotion of French aviation sport, ten celebrated stunt airmen will try to outdo one another in aerial acrobatics.

Germany will be represented by Gerhard Fiesler and Gerd Achgelis. The honour of French aviation will be defended by Michel Deroyat, prize winner in the contests at Rennes, and the novice, Cavalli. England sends Clarkson, Italy sends Colombo and Venet, and Portugal and Czechoslovakia will also take part.

The additional attraction of this interesting event will be the presence of the Italian national air squadron, stunt airmen who have received special permission from Mussolini to leave Brussels on Friday to proceed to Paris.—Transocean Kuo Min.

ONE CONVICT STILL AT LARGE

New York, June 5.

Eleven out of the 12 convicts who made a daring break from the Parchman Penitentiary, Mississippi, on Monday, have been recaptured.—Reuter.

SINKING OF NANTUCKET LIGHTSHIP

Board Of Trade Awaiting American Enquiry Result

London, June 6.

The Board of Trade await the result of the American enquiry before deciding whether to hold a public enquiry into the sinking of the Nantucket lightship by the White Star liner Olympic.

It is reported that preliminary private investigations are already proceeding but this is usually the case in all sea disasters.

If the verdict of the United States Court appears to be conclusive and reasonable it is believed there will be no necessity for holding a formal enquiry.—Reuter.

CLAIM AGAINST OLYMPIC

New York, June 6.

The United States Government is claiming U.S. \$500,000 against the White Star liner Olympic in connection with the sinking of the Nantucket lightship, recently. The eleven counts in the claim include allegations of failure to keep a proper look-out, excessive and dangerous speed in a fog and failure to take proper steps when the danger of the collision was apparent.

The claim demands that the Olympic, which is due in New York to-day, should be "condemned" to be sold to pay the damages sought.

No claim is made on account of the members of the crew of the Nantucket lightship who perished.—Reuter.

BOND DEPOSITED

London, June 6.

The White Star Line has deposited a U.S. \$500,000 bond with the United States Government, thus preventing the liner Olympic from being liable to arrest in New York.—Reuter.

DROUGHT AREAS RELIEF

Large Sums Voted

Washington, June 5.

Despite the glad tidings of fresh rains over a wide area, the authorities in the Middle-West States are continuing their plans for vast relief in the drought areas.

President Roosevelt has outlined to over 50 Congressmen from

STORMY ARMS SESSION

Mr. Henderson's Threat

[Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press" (Copyright)]

Stormy proceedings marked the course of the presidential session of the Arms Conference that ended on Tuesday at 7 o'clock. Sharp altercation occurred between Mr. Arthur Henderson, the president, and M. Barthou, the French foreign minister, which reached the climax when Mr. Henderson threatened to resign.

The session of the main committee convened for Wednesday has been postponed indefinitely, and the presidential session will resume discussions instead.—Transocean Kuo Min.

KING OF SIAM ENTERS NURSING HOME

London, June 5.

His Majesty the King of Siam, who is on a visit to London, entered a nursing home yesterday to undergo an operation for cataract.—Reuter.

the affected States, a programme providing for the expenditure of U.S.\$25,000,000 which involves legislation to be enacted before the end of this session of Congress.

A sum of U.S.\$100,000,000 will be provided for the purchase of additional beef and dairy cattle to make good the farmer's losses.

Another U.S. \$100,000,000 will be earmarked for the processing of cattle and other products.

A third sum of U.S.\$100,000,000 will be spent on emergency works, while a fourth U.S.\$100,000,000 will be allotted for the furnishing of livestock.

Very heavy rains, averaging half an inch, fell in sections of Minnesota and North Dakota, yesterday.—Reuter.

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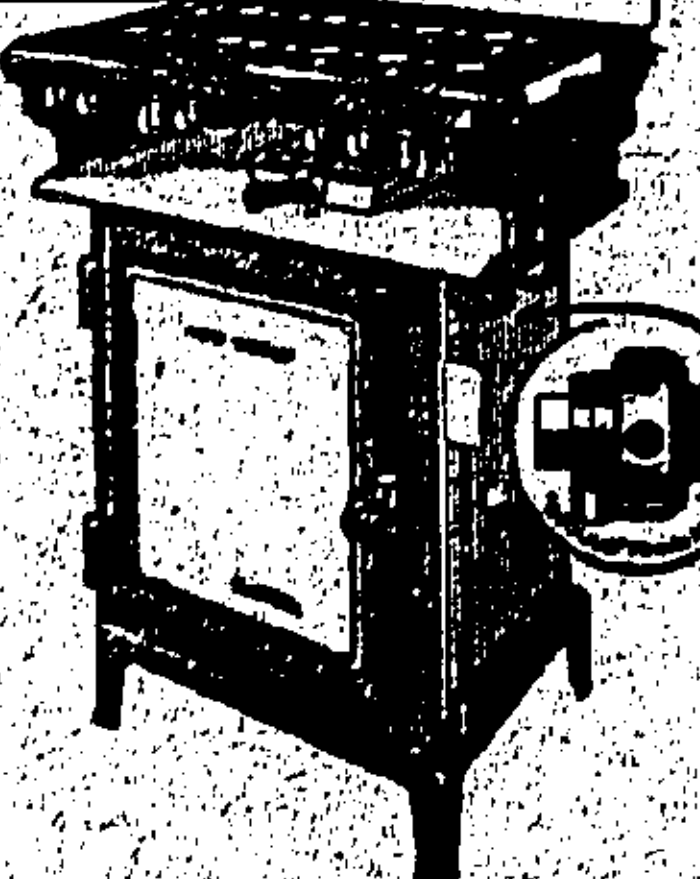


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PONSFORD AND McCABE IN BIG STAND

Australians Reveal M.C.C.'s Lack Of Bowlers

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, May 20.

The weakness of the M.C.C. bowling was fully exposed yesterday, at Lord's, when, on a perfect wicket the Australians scored 401 for two wickets in reply to M.C.C.'s 382. Ponsford played a magnificent innings—he needs one run for his second successive double century—and McCabe, if lucky in being missed once, also showed very fine cricket in making 186 without defeat.

The bowlers toiled hard and the fieldsmen stuck it well on a very cold day, but they could not prevail against the strong Australian batsmen.

Ponsford, apart from his skill, gave the impression of absolute safety, and his stroke-play all round the wicket was very good. McCabe did not catch the eye to quite the same extent as Ponsford, but he, too, was very good.

It was a case of two renowned batsmen mastering completely the attack, though this is not to infer that the bowlers bowled badly. The trouble was that all the bowling was of the same pace.

Any anticipations which may have arisen at luncheon of a fairly cheap dismissal of the Australians were rudely dispelled by Ponsford and McCabe, who have so far added 340 in 45 mins.

Ponsford's 20 Fours

Battling for 5h 5min—exactly an hour longer than his colleague—Ponsford has hit twenty 4's, while McCabe has hit two 6's and fifteen 4's among his chief strokes.

The M.C.C. innings was quickly finished off. Chapman and Peables added 20 runs to Saturday's score. Then a misunderstanding between the two batsmen resulted in Peables skipping up and being run out by yards, the ball being returned by short-leg to the wicket-keeper.

Oldfield and Marriott were ready victims to Wall. Chapman being left not out for 48—an innings with some good off-side strokes in it, but marked by a good deal of hesitancy and uncertainty.

Wyatt and Valentine began the bowling for M.C.C., and Woodfull and Ponsford played them with the greatest ease. Both bowlers occasionally swung the ball, but they looked the reverse of dangerous.

How Bradman Left

Bradman came in and scored three runs, a late cut off his second ball, but in Brown's next over, in playing forward, he returned the ball slowly to the bowler, and the great man was out.

Delight was mingled with disappointment at his early downfall, but the crowd gave the bowler a rousing cheer.

Sixty-three for two was the score at lunch. Ponsford had batted extremely well, and with great confidence, and after luncheon his form was just as good. But he had a narrow escape of being run out. Brown, who was bowling at the time, only just missed the stumps with a sharp return, the ball travelling to the boundary.

Marriott, keeping a very exact length, was treated with respect, and three, was some good bowling, too, by Brown and Peables.

McCabe hit two 4's—an off-drive, and a stroke to square leg—off Marriott, who, after a long spell of admirable bowling, was relieved by White.

Runs did not appear to be coming fast, but 70 were scored in the first hour after lunch, and the lack of a fast bowler as a contrast was severely felt. Brown came on for Peables at 142, but he did not bowl quite such a good length, as before, and Chapman placed another man at mid-wicket.

Ponsford had his head well over the ball in playing forward, and was quick on his feet, while McCabe gets his left elbow well up and is an interesting and attractive batsman. The running between wickets was admirable, and every possible single was made.

When 92, Ponsford snicked a very good leg-break of Brown's between the wicket-keeper and slip—his first false stroke—and with the total at 195 he ran to a splendid 100 with a single off Brown.

Peables had come on at the Nursery end at 173, and at 198 Marriott bowled from the pavilion end, and off his first ball McCabe (62) was missed by Turnbull. At short-leg Turnbull had to run back to an awkward skier.

At the tea interval Ponsford was 113 and McCabe 60, and the total 228 for 2. After tea run-getting went on at an even faster rate than before, and a wicket seemed further off than ever. Wyatt bowled with the new ball, and Marriott, Brown, White, Peables, and Valentine all had a turn.

McCabe's 100 came with the score at 296. The batsmen seemed set for a week, and the want of variety of pace in the bowling was more obvious than ever.

At 6.10 Ponsford and McCabe had put on 300 runs, and at the close they were still together in an unfinished partnership of 340.

M.C.C.

R. E. S. Wyatt, b Wall	72
Rev. E. T. Killick, c O'Reilly, b Wall	3
M. J. Turnbull, st Oldfield, b F. Smith	33
Hendren, c O'Reilly, b Wall	135
B. H. Valentine, c Oldfield, b O'Reilly	40
A. P. F. Chapman, not out	46
F. R. Brown, c Oldfield, b Wall	2
J. C. White, b Grimmett	2
A. R. Peables, run out	5
P. C. Oldfield, b Wall	0
C. S. Marriott, b Wall	0
B. H. Valentine, b Wall	24
Total	362

AUSTRALIANS

W. M. Woodfull, c White, b Brown	20
W. H. Ponsford, not out	199
D. G. Bradman, c and b Brown	5
S. J. McCabe, not out	183
B. O. L. b 5	14

Total (2 wks) 401

W. A. Oldfield, C. V. Grimmett, T. W. Wall, W. J. O'Reilly, L. O'Brien, Fleetwood-Smith, L. S. Darling, and W. A. Brown to bat.	
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M.C.C.—First Innings

O. M. R. W.	
Wall	23.3 10 74 6
McCabe	14 2 53 0
O'Reilly	23 8 55 1
Grimmett	35 8 81 1
Fleetwood-Smith	15 0 72 1
Darling	2 4 3 0
Darling bowled one wide. Wall two wides and one no-ball, and McCabe one no-ball.	

QUICK RESPONSE

Loan Three Times Oversubscribed

Shanghai, June 1.

Inside fifteen minutes, the \$7,000,000 issue of Shanghai Municipal Council debentures was nearly three times oversubscribed yesterday morning.

Long before the doors of the Loans and Banking Office, S.M.C., were opened at 10 o'clock a queue had formed in the corridor, including a large number of Chinese. It was necessary to post policemen to maintain the sequence of members of the crowd.

The loan was subscribed within a few minutes of the opening, and the subscription list was closed after about fifteen minutes. While the exact total of the applications could not be ascertained yesterday, it was estimated that about \$20,000,000 had been subscribed—or nearly four times the amount of the issue. Allotment will be made on a pro-rata basis.

A substantial share of the subscriptions represents Chinese capital. There are also many subscribers abroad.

The debentures were issued at 102½ per cent. The rate of interest is 5 per cent. per annum.

LAWN BOWLS

Open Singles Games

Six matches in the Open Singles competition were played in Hongkong, and of these the most interesting or rather hard fought one was on the Police Recreation Club green where J. J. Basto beat his clubmate, C. G. Silva by 21-20. The winner was leading all the way until the 25th head when, with two shots behind, Silva put up a splendid rally to level up the score at 20-20. The next head which decided the game was needless to say, full of excitement but Basto eventually succeeded in winning by one shot. This match lasted 27 heads.

On the Hongkong Football Club green, L. R. Whant had no difficulty in accounting for N. M. Currie whom he beat by 21 to 9. This match only lasted 15 heads, the winner scoring on 10 occasions with a four and a three, while the loser obtaining points on five heads.

After leading for the greater part of the game, B. Williams lost to H.A.S. Alves on the Craignewer green by 21-11. The winner incidentally brought the match to the conclusion as he was then leading by 17-11.

Dr. V. N. Atienza defeated W. Gill on the Hongkong Electric Recreation ground by 21-17.

The match between H. Hampton and A. Carey which was arranged to be played on the Civil Service green was cancelled owing to the latter failing to turn up.

Though leading by 18 shots to 10 at the very early stage of the game, J. F. Lunny lost to P. O. Dunne at the 25th head by 20 to 22 shots on the Yacht Club green. Two matches took place yesterday in Kowloon where A. Chapman defeated J. E. Noronha by 21 shots to 12 on the Kowloon Cricket Club green and P. Knight beat J. G. Ozorio by 21 shots to 16 at the Kowloon Bowling Green Club.

K.B.G.C. Teams For Saturday

The following have been selected to represent the Kowloon Bowling Green Club in their league matches on Saturday:

1st Team: V. Police Recreation Club at Kowloon:

J. Watson, A. S. Russell, J. H. Budding, L. Guy (Skip), R. Duncan, S. Randle, V. Fetherick, W. Macfarlane (Skip), P. T. Farrell, J. S. Logan, R. Hall, W. S. Drake (Skip).

2nd Team: V. Police Recreation Club at Happy Valley:

H. F. Stoneham, A. W. E. Davidson, W. E. Hale, H. H. Rose (Skip), J. Macdonald, E. V. Seale, M. J. Henderson, J. G. Mayer (Skip), C. L. Farmer, C. B. Hosking, J. G. Charlton, G. E. F. Thompson (Skip).

BOYS CLIMB MOUNT OPHIR

6½ Hours To The Top

Singapore, May 31.

A party of four schoolboys from the Malacca Anglo Chinese School (Allas) Set Hok Tin, Teo Peng Lam and Tan Tye Guan, headed by Mr. R. Penvergne, of the Indo-China Bank of Singapore, climbed Mount Ophir on Sunday, May 20.

The party started at 11.30 a.m. and reached the summit at 6.05 p.m. after surmounting considerable obstacles. What one of the party described as "a most fascinating waterfall" was seen at a height of over 100 feet. The water was said to be very cool and clear.

On reaching the summit the party found that a party from Jasin, including two Europeans and eight Malays, had been there before them three hours earlier. A thick fog obscured the view below the mountain when the climbers reached the top but at 7.30 p.m. the fog cleared and a moon showed up, the surrounding country clearly.

The towns of Muar, Tangkak, Gemas and Segamat were seen clearly. The sun-rise next day, according to one of the party, was very enchanting.

The temperature taken at 6.20 p.m. was 88 degrees F., and at 12.30 a.m. was 64 degrees F. The lowest temperature was 61 degrees taken at 5.30 a.m.

The downward climb was made at 8.15 a.m. the party reaching the foot of the mountain at 1 p.m.

U. S. BASEBALL

League Results

New York, June 6.
The following are the results of yesterday's baseball games:—
National League.

Boston	R. H. E.	4 10 1
Philadelphia	Urbanski homered.	
New York	13 16 1	
Jackson Ott and Critz homered.		
Brooklyn	10 15 0	
Cuccinello homered.		
Philadelphia	11 15 1	
Clancy homered.		
Brooklyn	4 10 1	
Cuccinello homered.		
Philadelphia	5 9 3	
E. T. Hanallen homered.		
Chicago	3 7 0	
Herman and Jorges homered.		
St. Louis	6 10 1	
Collins homered.		

Pittsburgh v Cincinnati postponed on account of rain.

American League.

St. Louis	2 6 3	
West homered.		
Chicago	8 14 0	
St. Louis	10 17 0	
Cliff homered.		
Chicago	5 9 3	
Zeke Bonura homered.		
Cleveland	2 8 4	
Kickerbocker homered.		
Detroit	20 21 1	
Greenberg homered.		
Cleveland	5 11 0	
Detroit	4 8 1	
Goslin homered.		
Philadelphia	8 13 1	
Johnson homered.		
Washington	7 9 0	
There were ten innings.		
Philadelphia	3 11 0	
Washington	4 14 1	
There were ten innings.		
New York	3 5 0	
Boston	8 9 1	

—Reuter.

TOOK OFFICE ON UNLUCKY DAY

Kwangtung Magistrate Killed

Swatow, May 24.

A daring crime was perpetrated by a band of "communists" on the 19th of the month in waylaying the district magistrate of Fung-shun, when engaged in an inspection of a section of a new motor road at no great distance from the city, and shooting him dead. Instructions had been received from Canton to hasten on the construction of this section across a hill pass, and the magistrate had been making a daily visit to see that the work was being pushed forward. He was in his car with four guards, when fire was opened on the car from an ambush with a machine gun and rifles, and he was struck in several places and succumbed at once. One of his guards was also killed.

The perpetrators of the crime are said to have come by night from a place called the "Eight Villages," which has for years been notorious as a communist headquarters, and to have numbered a dozen or more. They lay in ambush at a lonely part of the road, and the rest was comparatively simple. Mr. Lin Pin had the reputation of being an energetic and efficient magistrate, and this no doubt was the reason why he was marked down for destruction.

Many Evil Omens.

A newspaper correspondent reporting the matter avers that various omens went before presaging his death, for all of which there is good evidence. He had five dogs which were his constant companions, and two days before he met his death they began howling miserably, and "weeping floods of tears." About the same time a great crowd suddenly came down in front of his residence; one of his guards, the same who was killed with him, caught it, but let it go again on the advice of an official, standing by, who told him that it was a bird of very evil omen. Also three days before his death he told one of his officers that he had dreamed the night before that he had been attacked by bandits when on road inspection and had been wounded and

brought back to his yamen. On the night before he met his end many of the servants and attendants heard a great sound of "devil weeping" outside his bedroom. It is noted also that the day and hour of his death, 11 o'clock on the 19th, were exactly those of his assumption of office seven months and seven days ago; and astrological wisacres assert that it was an unlucky day and hour for taking office.

LADY TENNIS

PLAYERS

Britain's Team in Wightman Cup

London, June 6.

The British Wightman Cup team against America at Wimbledon on June 15 and 16 are Mrs. Godfree, Misses. Dearman, Lyle, Nuthall, Round and Scriven.—Reuter.

FIRST INDIAN GOVERNOR

Sir Mahomed Usman

Ootacamund, May 18.

A distinguished gathering, including Members of the Cabinet, Heads of Departments and other leading officials and non-officials, both European and Indian, witnessed an impressive ceremony, when Sir Mahomed Usman took the Oath of Office as Acting Governor of Madras at Government House this evening.

Justice Madhavan Nair administered the Oath after the reading of the Royal Warrant of Appointment by the Chief Secretary of the Ooty Municipality, who presented a congratulatory address to Sir Mahomed. The address considered it a high privilege that he should be the first Indian Governor of a major Province.

Replying, Sir Mahomed said that, with the co-operation of all, he would try, during his short period of office, to maintain the high traditions of two of his predecessors under whom he served as Home Member.

A notification was issued announcing the appointment of Mr. G. T. H. Braden, Chief Secretary, as Home Member in succession to Sir Mahomed.

TEST TRIAL

England Beat The Rest

England defeated the Rest by 10 wickets at Lord's in the Test Trial match.

The overnight total of 414 for 4 was raised to 474 by the unbeaten pair, who had the distinction of carrying their bats, when England declared. The Nawab of Pataudi was 152 not out while Ames had scored an unfinished 146.

218 First Innings.

The Rest replied with 271 (Valentine 108 not out; Verity 4 for 34; Mitchell 5 for 121).

England scored 19 runs without loss in the second innings to win by 10 wickets.

County Matches

At Edgbaston, Sussex took first innings points from Warwickshire. Warwick: 219 and 313 for 2 (Kilner 153 not out).

Sussex: 474 for 7 dec. (Cook 179; Wensley 103 not out).

At Stourbridge, Northants took first innings points from Worcestershire. Northants 388 (Timms 213, Perks 5 for 73).

253 for 6 declared. (Howarth 5 for 64).

Worcester: 383 (Gibbons 129, Martin 150).

52 for no wicket. —Reuter.

WYATT'S INJURY

Doubtful He Will Be Able To Play

London, June 6.

R.E.S. Wyatt, who is to lead England in the First Test, says that he is very doubtful whether he will be able to play on Friday as the result of the injury to his thumb while playing last Saturday.

A further X-ray examination of the injured thumb was made late to-day.—Reuter.

brought back to his yamen. On the night before he met his end many of the servants and attendants heard a great sound of "devil weeping" outside his bedroom. It is noted also that the day and hour of his death, 11 o'clock on the 19th, were exactly those of his assumption of office seven months and seven days ago; and astrological wisacres assert that it was an unlucky day and hour for taking office.

HOME RACING

Unidwar A Long Shot for Derby

(Special Air-Mail Service)

London, June 20.

There has been very little betting so far here on the altered Derby situation. The bookmakers are marking time.

One professional, who is more of a backer these days, laid last night 2-1 privately against Colombo, but that may only be an expression of personal opinion, and I doubt if a prominent man on the rails is now prepared to exceed 13-8, which is, of course, liberal compared with Colombo's 11-8 before his Two Thousand victory. The same bookmaker laid 7-1 against Unidwar to-day to a sum of £550.

Apart from yesterday's performers, Blazony, Windsor Lad and Lo Zingaro might come more prominently into the market.

There will naturally not be a Colombo gallery for Campanula on One Thousand Guineas Day. Jack Jarvis is convinced, through his own charge—Flamenco—as well as Bright Bird's forward display yesterday, that "Sir George Bullough's filly is really a champion. All going well, he would welcome a tilt, late in the season, against Colombo over the mile and a quarter of the Champion Stakes here, but that might be the only possible chance for them this year to clash afresh.

By the way, I don't think we will see Colombo "held up" at all at Epsom.

We approach Campanula's chance for the first filly classic just as we did that of the champion colt, and now we have seen the Two Thousand perhaps it would be wise not again to anticipate a devastating performance.

What, however, can we put up against her?

Frank Butters, who will run three, had considered Light Brocade a better two-year-old, but it must be Mrs. Ruston now after Light Brocade's poor show against Campanula at the Craven meeting. Tetrapylon won a handicap in good style with top weight then, and Miss Tor ran second in the Free Handicap, but I know that her conqueror, Phalaron Bay, had been well behind Flamenco in home gallops.

Meadow Flu has distance limitations, and Playful has not run; so it must be a choice of Mrs. Ruston—who came out fully 8lbs. better than Flamenco over the seven furlongs of the Dewhurst Stakes—to be the danger to Campanula.

Bleu de Roi II was tipped to me by his owner for the Lincoln, and the French four-year-old ran well enough then to "make me think that he will score at the expense of Wantalot, Bat Guard, Conversion, and the high weights. The well-galoped Main Chance may move up on Lingfield and be the best bet of the day, for Rambler and Greensward seem doubtful.

It would never have done for Colombo to have won and Hyperion to have been beaten, but the little chap provided us with plenty of excitement before a most excited Weston kept his head only by a neck after he had overhauled Angelico some way from the finish.

Weston was obviously out to give Lord Derby's champion a rousing race and a thorough waking-up after Heath listlessness. He had come at Angelico at the outside of the four.

Tommy "gave him one" before he switched over his whip to his left hand so as to keep Hyperion in a true line. And that whip was moved all the way home then. Hyperion got nicely in front, but Angelico ran on again, and it was as well that there had not been the slightest cessation of the winning rider's efforts.

Apart from the fact that Hyperion gave 20lbs. over a mile and a quarter, I am sure the race will bring him on a lot for Epsom, just as Chester did last year, and that he is outstanding still among those of his own age.

Felicitations in receipt of 6lbs. was going fairly well at the finish, but was beaten by over three lengths.

Thrilling Finish

What a finish there was for the Newmarket Stakes! A little way from the post it had looked odds on: Colonel Loder's well-backed Graceful Lad, but this speedy colt began to stop when Verball II also came from behind Avertin to challenge.

He got in front but the weight began to tell and Richards then drove up Avertin nearest the stand side and got up on the post to

SWIMMING NOTES

Prospects For Coming Saturday

INTERPORT TRIALS IN SEPTEMBER

[By "Salmon"]

All aquatic fans are looking forward to the big swimming gala to be held on Saturday at the South China beach. There should be some first rate tussles and I am informed that the Chinese and European water polo game will be a battle of the giants, since both sides are mustering their strongest possible team.

A meeting was held at the V.R.C. on Tuesday night with a view to picking the European team, and in this connection it is gratifying to learn that the European Y.M.C.A. are co-operating with the V.R.C. in every way.

After much deliberation the team selected to represent the Europeans was as follows: M. M. da V. Soares (goal), W. Kerr (left back), H. M. Remedios (right back), W. Campbell (centre half), C. Roza Pereira (left wing), W. Schreuder (centre), and W. Lawrence (right wing).

The Chinese combination is none the less strong. The probable team will be: Kwok Mok-hoi (goal), Yeung Yuen-wah (left back), Fung Kwok-wah (right back), Wing Suen-man (centre half), Shek Kam-pui (left wing), Kwok Chan-hang (centre), and Cheong Wing-kwong (right).

In connection with the meeting at the V.R.C. on Tuesday, it was decided to send the Club's strongest possible combination to the inter-club team race on Saturday. E. B. da Roza and W. Lawrence have been definitely selected, but the remaining two places are still open. There are four swimmers of about equal calibre for these two places and I am informed that a trial will probably be held before the final selection is made. The four swimmers referred to are T. Padgett, L. R. Pereira, A. A. da Roza and H. Ozorio. In all probability Padgett and Ozorio will get the two places, since both are capable of clocking 27 for the 50 yards.

In the 200 metres breast strokes, Yeung Yuen-wah is competing and he should win the event without much effort. The

GAS EXPLOSION ENQUIRY CONTINUED

HOW THE FIRE WAS KEPT UNDER CONTROL

Possible Cause Of The Explosion

The enquiry into the circumstances surrounding the tragic gas explosion disaster at West Point on the morning of May 14 was continued at Central Magistracy yesterday when evidence in regard to the work done by the Fire Brigade and the possible cause of the explosion was given.

Mr. E. W. Hamilton sat as Coroner assisted by a special jury comprising Messrs. P. Tester (foreman), L. Dunbar and D. Drummond.

Mr. W. A. Mackinlay of Messrs. Deacons watched the proceedings on behalf of the Hongkong and China Gas Co., Ltd. and Mr. W. A. Brown of Messrs. Hastings and Co. represented certain property owners whose property was damaged.

At the outset Mr. Mackinlay said he might have misled the Court by stating the previous day that there were two gas rings in the Indian watchmen's hut. Actually there were two, but in different compartments, and there was none where the watchmen were at the time of the explosion.

Mr. Hamilton:—Yes, the evidence did not seem to be that the fire started there.

Mr. Mackinlay:—We shall submit that it was caused by the expansion of the metal. The walls of the gasometer are connected by a steel girder, and it was probably due to the expansion of that girder that the walls were pushed out.

Mr. H. T. Brooks, superintendent of the Fire Brigade, said that at eight minutes past eleven on the morning in question two calls were received simultaneously, one from a fire alarm outside the University and another by phone from the University.

Witness proceeded:—"Understanding that the fire was at the gas works, I ordered five appliances out, three more than usual, and within three minutes, Deputy Supt. Charwell, Assistant Station Officers FitzHenry and Smith and myself were on our way. In a few minutes more, there were 38 firemen, excluding officers, on the scene with their appliances."

Witness described in detail the disposition of the engines and said that at first it was thought that there were no casualties, but at 11.18 a.m. the Kennedy Town ambulance was ordered and No. 2 fire boat was told to stand by. A minute or so later a "home" call was put through, which brought the personnel of the attack (eight appliances, six European officers, 57 men (including 8 Chinese officers) and four ambulances.

Fire Extinguished

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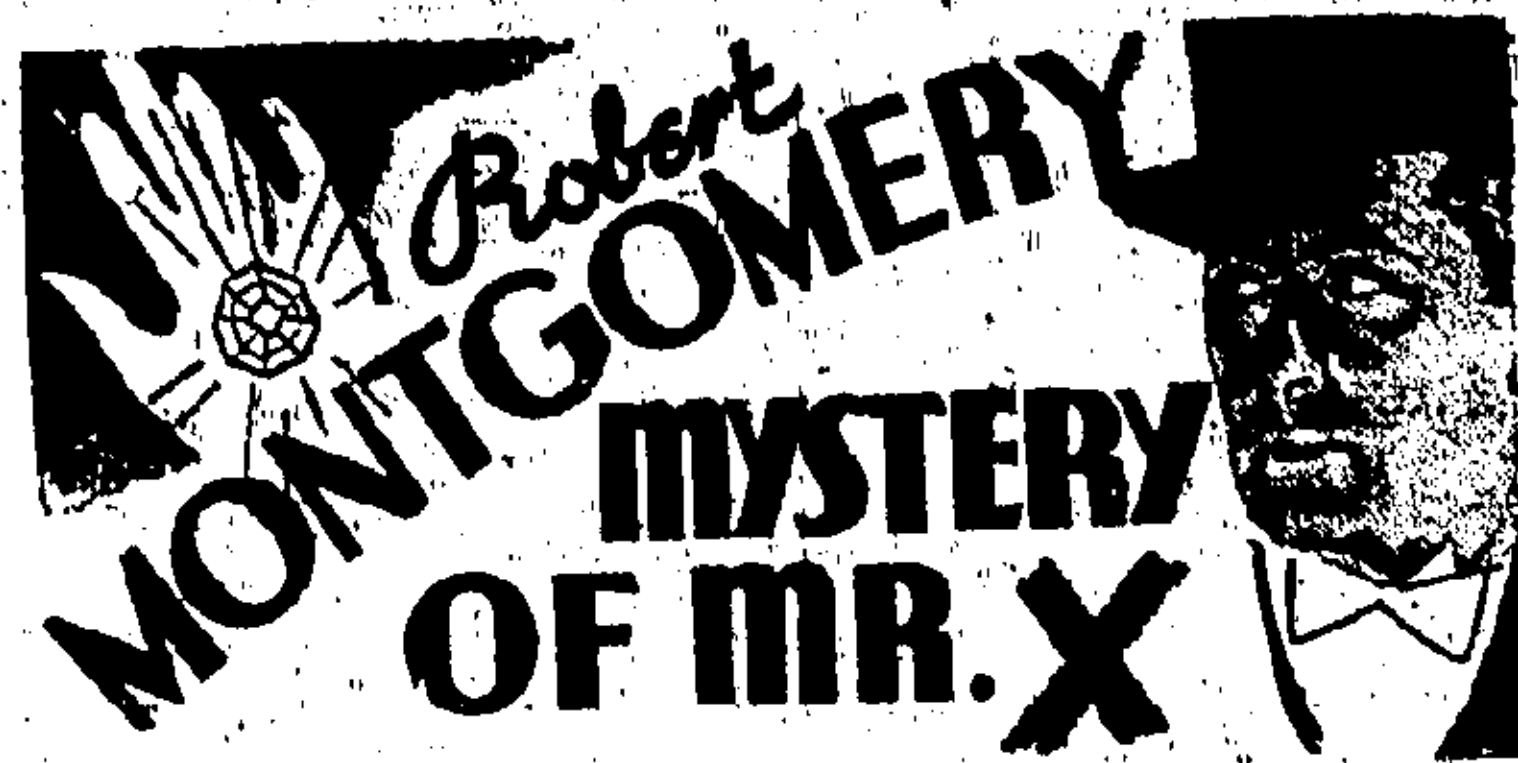
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CHAPTER XI

STALKED BY DEATH

The blade through the keyhole, instead of entering Revel's heart, bent like a cane, and instantly Revel threw his body sideways against the blade with his full weight. The thin blade snapped off and fell clattering on the cement pavement just outside the door. In the swiftness of his movement, Revel had dropped both lantern and revolver. He had just recovered them when Palmer, attracted by Revel's actions before the door came running up. He saw the jagged tear in the policeman's tunic that Revel wore.

"Yer wounded, Nick?" he asked, much concerned.

"No Joseph!" said Revel, and thrust his hand under his coat and pulled out the folded license plate which Palmer had seen him bend double. The numerals 1 and 3 showed on the outer half of the plate. "Thirteen was always my lucky number, Joe," Revel threw away the plate.

"Beats me how yer think of such things," said Palmer, admiringly.

Revel now moved back about a pace from the lock into which he fired three bullets. Bits of iron flew out. The shots had blasted the keyhole out of the doorway. Revel threw his weight against the door and it swung inward.

"You stay here, Joe. Don't let him come out."

"Ow can I stop him, Nick. E won't pay no heed to me."

"He'll pay heed to that," Revel tapped the gun in Palmer's hand and disappeared into the blackness of the warehouse's interior.

He came back at a run a minute or two later at the sound of three or four shots at the spot where he had left Palmer. The latter, back to the door, faced a manhole in middle of street, his revolver still pointing at it.

"What was that shooting?" demanded Revel.

"He gave the blighter wot's wot!" said Palmer. "E raised the cover of the man-hole and was goin' to plug me."

"Get him."

"Halmest."

"Stand on the man-hole, Joe, and keep your face on this door."

Without waiting to see that Palmer obeyed, Revel ran back into the warehouse. He shut the door and flattened himself rigidly against it, listening to the creaking of pulleys. The elevator was moving! X was going up to a higher floor. Revel advanced cautiously into the interior of the building. In the faint light from the street that came through the windows he could distinguish the elevator shaft and an open wooden stairway running up through his own series of wells. The elevator was still moving and Revel began quickly and quietly to ascend the stairway which followed around the open elevator shaft.

The guard about the open well was of steel mesh about the height of a man's shoulders. Above it was an open space, large enough to permit an active man to climb through.

After listening a moment, Revel continued his upward climb. Suddenly a burst of flame came from below him, the report of a revolver, and his right arm flew up so spasmodic with the pain of a bullet in the fleshy part that his revolver was jerked from his hand. Two following shots were punctuated with the sound of his own revolver falling down the elevator shaft and striking the iron cables. After the first shot, Revel had withdrawn behind one of the steel pillars of the building, tensely alert, but undecided what to do. He was now unarmed and would be at the mercy of X, if the latter caught sight of him.

Realizing that he must act, and quickly, Revel crouched down so that he was hidden by the iron mesh of the guard, which he hugged closely, and resumed his upward climb until he reached the door to the roof.

Revel began climbing up the iron mesh guard about the elevator well. If he could reach the elevator and get in it, he reached out as far as he dared without risking losing his balance and falling. The elevator floor was above his head, with no means of bringing it down within his reach.

He became aware that the ascending figure had located him. X raised his arm to fire, but at the same moment, Revel leaped from the top of the guard out to the cables which swung in a long loop from underneath the elevator. The bullet whined close to his ears. He slid down the elevator cables to the end of the loop. Grasping the bottom of the loop with both hands, he swung himself backward and forward like a gymnast, in increasing arcs until he was able to catch the top of the guard-railing with his feet and legs just as two shots were fired down the elevator shaft.

Revel hung precariously to the guard, in danger of losing his feeble foot-hold and plunging headfirst down the well. By pushing his body upwards by getting a hand-hold on the iron of the mesh, he finally succeeded in getting over the guard. He was breathing hard with the exertion and the sense of relief when his feet again touched the stairway. He was midway between the third and the second floors, and began running madly downward. He reached the first floor and, listening a moment, heard the elevator begin its creakings. X was in it and coming down!

"Palmer! Palmer!" he shouted. "Bring me your gun!" There was no answer, and he shouted again, and listened. He could hear the elevator coming steadily downwards, and through it another sound, a roaring from the outside building. It was like the roar of the police motorcade he had heard from the window of his flat after Jane had arrived to warn him the police were going to arrest him as Mr. X!

Joe Palmer, still standing on the manhole, failed to hear Revel's shout because of the roaring police motorcade, which came to a halt before the warehouse. Sir Herbert Frensham and Superintendent Connor dismounted from the first car. Uniformed policemen and detectives poured out of the others. Catching sight of Palmer, immobile with terror on the manhole, Connor approached him.

"What are you doing here?"

"Waitin' fer me fare," Palmer's teeth all but chattered.

"Where is he?"

Palmer pointed mutely at the manhole on which he stood.

"Reynolds," said Connor, sharply, "hole this man. Edwards, pick details and surround the warehouse." He joined Sir Herbert who called his attention to the open door. "We'll investigate. Commissioner Richards, Edgerly, Wheelwright, Fortham, Carroll, Dareson, Phillips, Gadebury—follow me."

The eight picked men followed the Superintendent and Frensham towards the warehouse as Edwards gave command for a detail of police to surround the building.

At the door of the warehouse, Connor drew his revolver and ordered his men to do the same, prepared for any emergency. He saw Sir Herbert with his group and strode back to him.

"Sorry, sir. This is my job."

"Mine, too, Connor. I'm going with you."

"No, sir. If you don't stay out I'll risk insubordination and have you detained."

"I'm going in anyway."

Connor, hesitated, perplexed, but at the sound of a revolver shot in the building, he flung the door open and plunged in, followed by the eight men with drawn revolvers, and Sir Herbert.

Half-way across the floor, Revel turned as the men in the elevator took another shot at him. He could barely make out the top cables still descending. Then the whine of the lower was shut off and he could hear the door of the elevator opening in the basement. As the outer door of the warehouse banged against the wall under Connor's onslaught, Revel whirled about and made out the dim silhouettes of the entering policemen, their bull-eye lanterns making globes of light that threatened with each forwards

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VICTIMS IDENTIFIED

The Saiwanho Landslide

The victims of the landslide at Saiwanho (Shaukiwan), who were entombed by many tons of rock and earth undermined by the heavy rainfall late on Tuesday night, have been identified as: Wong Kiu, 47, married woman, and her two sons, Ko Shing, 24, and Ko Sun 14.

step to pick him out and to reveal his presence in the building. He jumped behind a pile of huge packing-cases that cluttered up a part of the floor back of him.

Connor barked orders. "Richards, stay in the doorway. Guard it. Wheelwright, search this floor. Behind all the boxes. Start around the walls and move in. The rest follow me."

It was but a matter of a few minutes now, Revel thought, until he was found and arrested. He quickly made his decision, stepped boldly out from behind the packing-cases and joined the group of policemen following Connor towards the stairway.

CHINESE SCHOOL IN HONG KONG

(Continued from Page 7)

realise that here we are in a state of transition. The aim in China is no longer to educate a select few who might or might not qualify for admission to that distinguished group of rulers—the Mandarin class, but it is something far wider. The old curriculum is not adequate, and the old methods are not appropriate.

The Past And The Future
In the past it was only necessary to learn what had been done before, with a view to doing it again. The memory was exercised and the reasoning neglected. The contents of the education programme has changed, because the economic and social needs are quite different, and it is further necessary that those coming forward must face the future with mind more alert less atquecent in the conditions of the past.

Formerly education was bestowed upon the poor as a form of philanthropy. In England this was generally done through the agency of the Church, then it was denounced as measures of protection by Macaulay, for property was not safe, he said when the poor and ignorant were about. "Build a school and empty a gaol" became a proverb.

Education and Prosperity.
Last of all it was recognised that modern industry could not be carried on unless the working class was educated up to higher levels. You cannot have high standards of living diffused among the people unless there is a high standard of education. At the same time we must recognise that you cannot provide rich educational facilities unless you have the necessary margin of wealth. Yet the two react upon one another.

England for example with its population of 45,000,000 has a national revenue of not less than £900,000,000 in rates and taxes. That is to say each person on the average pays in the form of taxes £20 each year or 280 dollars. In Hongkong with a revenue of 32 million dollars from nearly a million people each person pays on an average 32 dollars per annum at present. It is not possible,

therefore, to provide such a system as now obtains in England, but that does not mean you cannot improve what now exists or that you cannot add to what exists.

There is room for great philanthropic effort here. There is no finer way of perpetuating one's name than in founding and endowing a school, however small.

Some guilds have schools, the Tung Wah Hospital also is responsible for some, the Confucian Society also does good work and so do the Churches. The private school run for profit will always have a difficult time in this Colony for there is no stability in the population, it changes so frequently. Moreover I am afraid that the private schoolmaster must always be worried by the financial position. I should advise every such school to get a good Committee of Chinese gentlemen together who will relieve the head of some of his worries and at the same time furnish a guarantee to prove that the school is not in irresponsible hands.

A Few Handicaps.
I know that many of you are working under grave difficulties in unsuitable premises with numbers declining owing to the depression, and shrinkage of revenue. I do not know if rents are falling in proportion and the general cost of living too, but whatever hardships you are enduring, I trust you will never fail to realise the high importance of the work you are doing, and the need for stimulating and inspiring the pupils committed to your care.

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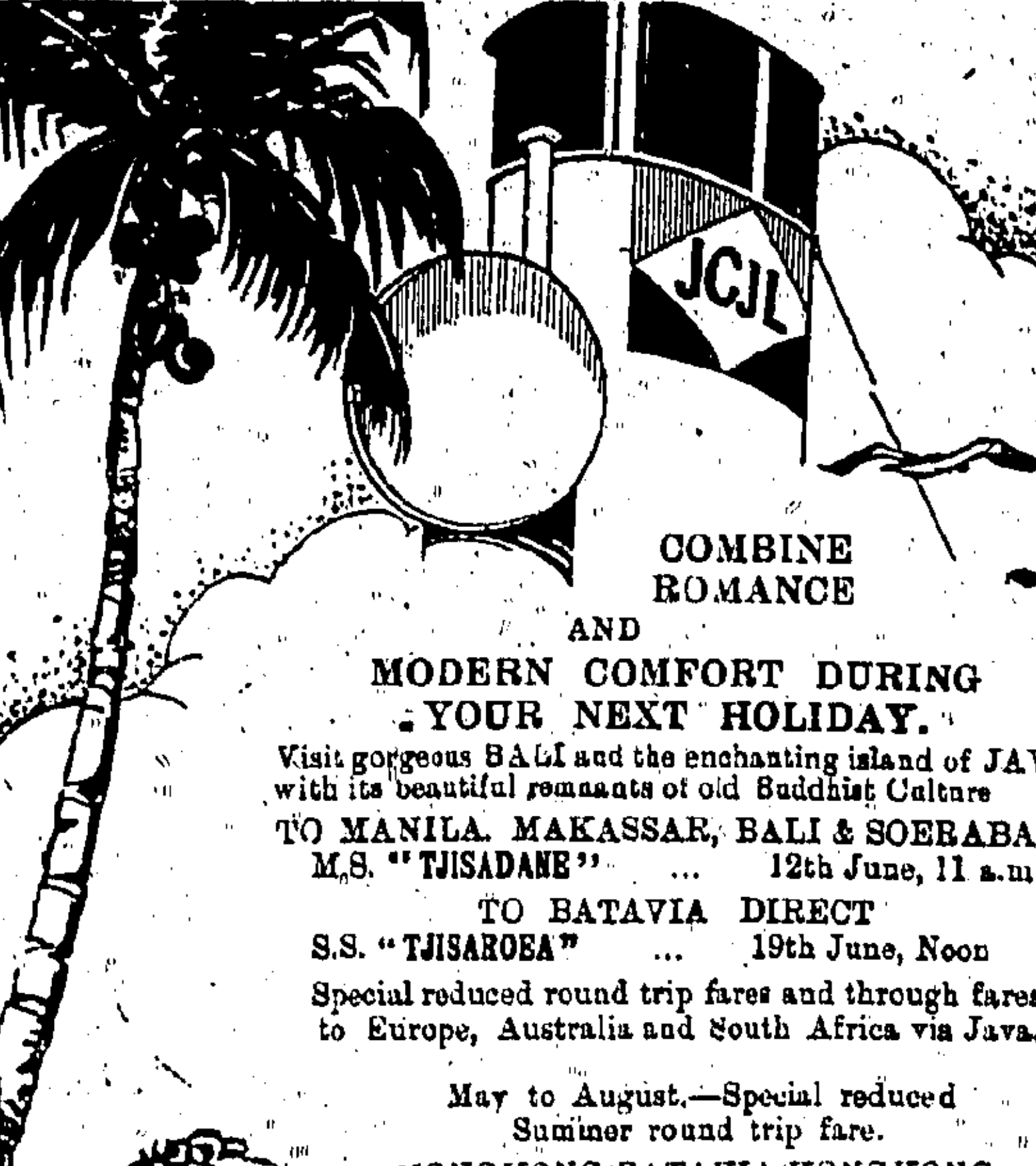
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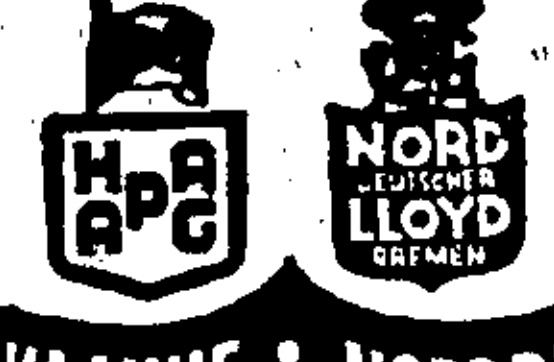
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HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION

Canton, June 6.
General Li Yang Ching, Commander of the 3rd Army Corps of the Kwangtung 1st Group Army, is planning to undertake the network of highways in the area covering Tsuenmanling and Chien-wu, Kiangsi, which is now under his domination.

According to his plan, soldiers will be used to do the construction work instead of hired labourers. The 8th Division is to be responsible for the construction of that line connecting Tsuenmanling, Ching-kong, and Lo-hung, which will be extended to Shengshang and Wuping, west Fukien, the 7th Division that line from Chang-ho to Chien-wu, and the 5th Division that line connecting Chien-wu, Liu-che, and Ping-yuen.

To cover the expenses the Central Rehabilitation Committee, Nanking, has been requested through the 1st Group Army to appropriate \$150,000.—Central Press.

LOCAL GOLF

The result of the Captain's Cup, on June 2 and 3 on the Old Course at Fanling was:—
L. C. Grover 90-14-78 qualified.
W. L. Marshall 90-14-78 was disqualified for a technical error in his card.

There were 33 entries. The majority of the players were unable to complete their round owing to a deluge which flooded the course.

REICHSBANK QUOTATIONS

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SHANGHAI COURTS

Question at Commons

London, June 6.
Information regarding the plans for more efficient working of the Shanghai District Court was sought in the House of Commons to-day by Sir Alfred Knox at question time.

Sir John Simon replied that he was unable to afford any information beyond the reference of the Chinese News Agency in December that the revision of the Civil Procedure Court was beginning and it has been stated that the measures relating to revision will apply to International Courts.

The Foreign Secretary added that the question was a complex one. The British Government was fully aware of British interests and Sir Alexander Cadogan, the British Minister in China, was in close touch with the situation.

Sir Alfred Knox suggested as the 1930 Agreement was under a two-yearly run it would be advisable to communicate with other Powers concerned and arrange concerted action.

Sir John Simon said he would gladly consider the point, but he thought it right now to watch the situation and keep in touch with Sir Alexander Cadogan.—Reuter.

JAPAN'S SILK EXPORTS

Some Startling Figures

London, June 6.
The Silk Federation of Great Britain is dismayed at the slowness of the negotiations with Japan, and at Mr. Runciman's reply in the House of Commons yesterday that he is still unable to make a statement.

The Federation of British Industries is meeting to-day with a view to pressing on the Government the urgency of immediate action.

The Silk Federation's Secretary in an interview with Reuter pointed out that Japanese silk exports to Britain in the first four months of last year were 3,800,000 square yards. This year the exports were 6,600,000 square yards. Exports of all other countries have declined.

In 1932 Japanese exports of rayon to Britain were 257,000 square yards. In 1933 it was nearly 2,800,000 square yards. Heaven knows what it will be this year.

The official emphasised that tariffs were useless against the lowness of Japanese prices. Quotas were only effective as a means. The Federation had not desired to exclude the traditional Far Eastern silks but only European styles which Japan was now assiduously copying. He expressed surprise that the Chinese Government does not devote itself to remedying the deterioration of Chinese silk, which is naturally the finest in the world.—Reuter.

NEW TYPE STAMP COLLECTOR

The Aerial Philatelists

(Special Air-mail Service)

London, May 20.
The newest type of stamp collector—the high-flyer who specialises in air-mail issues—had his status firmly stamped when Lord Londonderry took an hour off from his duties at Gwydir House, opened the Air Post Exhibition in the Horticultural Hall, and released a pigeon carrying a message of congratulation to the Postmaster-General in his office at St. Martin's-Grand. It must have come as a sharp surprise to the ignorant in these matters to hear from the Air Minister that there was as many as a million different exhibits on view at the exhibition, and when Mr. Fred J. McVie, the organiser, corrected Lord Londonderry by saying that there were not only a million but several million even the experts were heard to gasp.

The air post philatelist is scornful—and with some justice—of those who regard him as a parvenu in the ranks. Certainly the exhibition had its pedigree and historical

LEAP INTO THE STREET

Incidents In Kowloon

According to a Police report last night, a Chinese woman was removed to Kowloon Hospital in a dying condition following a leap which she took from the second floor of No. 1 Wong Chuk Street into the roadway below. The injured woman, Wong Sze Mul, was 29 years of age.

From the same address another woman, Chan Sze, aged 50, was removed to hospital with a stab wound on the right side of her abdomen. It is alleged that this wound was inflicted by a Chinese male named Cheung Chak, who has since been arrested by the police.

It is also stated that the woman who jumped into the street did so because she was threatened by Cheung Chak and became frightened.

Last night the authorities took the dying depositions of the woman in hospital.

COMMUNISTS IN KWEICHOW

Invasion By Large Force

(From Our Special Correspondent)

Canton, June 6.
Recent reports stating that the 4th Kwangsi division will be sent from the Kiangsi front back to their native province to defend the imminent attack of that province by Nanking troops from Southern Hunan appear incorrect, as Lieut.-General Wang Chan-pin, commanding officer of the 4th division, has denied in an interview here that his soldiers are to be transferred.

Asked when he will return to the Kiangsi front, General Wang said that he is awaiting the return of General Yu Han Mow, commanding officer of the first column (including the 4th division) for a military conference here prior to further offensive against the Communists.

Concerning the arrival of 4,000 Communist troops in Kweichow from Szechuen, General Wang believes that the provincial troops would be strong enough to withstand the invasion without the necessity for Kwangsi to give any assistance to the Kweichow Provincial Government. The Kweichow Reds, General Wang said, cannot affect Kwangsi, which is peaceful.

Until further preparations are completed, there will be no immediate offensive against the Communists in Southern Kiangsi. The enemy is concentrating attention on Nanking troops in Fukien and These reports puzzle the local military authorities who believe either the first two reports were premature or that the Nanking troops were driven out twice from Lien Cheng. In any event, recent reports that Nanking troops were advancing from Lien Cheng to Chang Ting, another Red citadel farther inland, were without foundation.

CABLE NEWS IN BRIEF

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A GHASTLY SUICIDE

Berlin, June 5.
One of the most ghastly suicides in the history of the city of Berlin on Tuesday when a housewife suffering from neurasthenia used the whole battery of primitive implements to make the end of her existence. When neighbours living in adjoining flats on hearing screams, broke in to the flat they found the unfortunate woman lying in a pool of blood with a razor, a bread-knife and a hatchet alongside. The right leg was deeply slashed by the razor in no less than thirty places, the left shoulder and the region of the breast were stabbed repeatedly with the blunt bread-knife while finally the skull was smashed by the hatchet. As a final safeguard against failure in her death attempt, the poor wretch had turned on all gas jets.—Transocean Kuo Min.

HIMALAYA EXPEDITION

Darjeeling, June 5.
The German Himalaya expedition reached the main camp on May 22, at Raklot Glacier north of the Nanga Parbat mountain range, the altitude being 3600 metres. Ten baggage carriers to increase the present crew have arrived. Heavy loads must be carried long distances over snow-fields six feet deep. Fine weather has begun and if it continues the chief camp will be completed and habitable the first days of June. Two young wolves driven by hunger joined the camp quietly and readily allowed themselves to be tamed.—Transocean Kuo Min.

NATIONAL DRAMATIC FESTIVAL

Heidelberg, June 5.
The national dramatic festival will be inaugurated here on July 15 by Goebbels when Goethe's masterpiece "Goetz von Berlichingen" will be performed in the romantic courtyard of the world famous castle, Heidelberg.

The rest of the festival programme includes Schiller's "The Robbers," Shakespeare's "Midsummer Night's Dream," and Kleist's "Broken Pitcher." On the newly completed "Thingplatz"—ancient teutonic assembly ground—where justice is dispensed with, on the holy mountain nearby, the first performance, Richard Euringer's "German Passion Play, 1933" will take place.—Transocean Kuo Min.

RUSSIA AND LITTLE ENTENTE

Prague, June 5.
The foreign ministers of the Little Entente countries will meet in Bucharest at the end of July, according to Prague Press reports on Tuesday, the primary purpose being to prepare the resumption of normal relations with Soviet Russia and to undertake rapprochement with the Balkan bloc.

These discussions are expected to be oriented towards "eastern Locarno"—or an international treaty to which Russia is a signatory guaranteeing the present eastern boundaries to Germany.—Transocean Kuo Min.

AIR RAID EDUCATION

Berne, June 5.
Anti-air raid education is considered urgently necessary according to a resolution passed by the Federal Council here on Tuesday requesting cantons, parliaments to provide a total credit of 840,000 Swiss francs for providing the civil population with "passive air defence" equipment.—Transocean Kuo Min.

Berlin, June 5.
President von Hindenburg left on Tuesday evening for his private estate at Neudeck in East Prussia to spend several weeks of his summer vacation.—Transocean Kuo Min.

Ankara, June 5.
The friendship treaty between China and Turkey was passed by the National Assembly.—Transocean Kuo Min.

himself in attendance—seemed to have a chastening effect on everyone but the Air Minister, for on all sides could be heard the complaint that, although British planes carry over 170 tons of letters and parcels a year, the Post Office has not thought it worth while to design a single stamp to mark the fact.



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R. OHL Agent.
Hong Kong, 3rd June, 1934. [2809]

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All Claims must be presented within 15 Days of the vessel's arrival here, which date they cannot be recognised.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 8th instant, 1934, will be subject to Rent.

No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

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Hong Kong, 1st June, 1934. [2800]

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All broken, chafed, and damaged goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on any Tuesdays and Fridays between the hours of 10.45 A.M. and Noon within the free storage period.

No claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the steamer's Godown, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 11th June, will be subject to rent.

All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the undersigned on or before the 25th June, or they will not be recognised.

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TOTORI MARU ... Friday, 29th June.
TANGO MARU ... Wednesday, 11th July.

SOUTH AMERICA (West Coast) via Japan, Honolulu, Los Angeles, Mexico and Panama.

BOKUYO MARU ... Monday, 30th July.

NEW YORK via Panama.

TATSUNO MARU ... Friday, 15th June.

LIVERPOOL via Port Said, Beyrouth, Istanbul, Piraeus, Genoa and Valencia.

DAKAR MARU ... Wednesday, 13th June.

CALCUTTA via Singapore, Penang and Rangoon.

CALCUTTA MARU ... Friday, 8th June.
MALACCA MARU ... Friday, 15th June.
BENGAL MARU ... Saturday, 7th July.

SHANGHAI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA.

KASHIMA MARU ... Saturday, 9th June.
YASUKUNI MARU ... Wednesday, 20th June.
KAMO MARU (Nagasaki direct) ... Friday, 22nd June.

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JEAN LABORE ... 17th June.
FELIX BOUSSEL ... 29th June.
CHENONCEAUX ... 29th July.
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YESTERDAY'S FREIGHT RETURNS

IMPORTS 5,100 TONS.
THROUGH CARGO 18,600 TONS

The returns shown at the Harbour Office of vessels carrying cargo to the Colony during the 24 hours ended at 9 a.m. yesterday were:—

	Cargo for H.K.	Through Ports
British	—	500
Cape St. Francis	—	—
Swatow	—	—
Kum Sang	—	—
Moji	481	1,685
Tsinan	—	—
Canton	—	400
Wing Lee	—	—
Canton	—	120
Kalapan	—	—
Hongay	1,000	1,803
Selstan	—	—
Swatow	10	—
French	—	1,491
Aramis	—	—
Shanghai	105	1,176
Lt. St. Loubert Bie	—	—
Shanghai	—	535
German	—	105
Coblenz	—	—
Shanghai	—	3,400
American	—	—
Michigan	—	—
Dalren	800	—
Norwegian	—	—
Proteus	—	—
Bangkok	2,100	—
Portuguese	—	—
Au Chao	—	—
K. C. Wan	270	—
Japanese	—	—
Manila Maru	—	—
Moji	—	3,553
Sydney Maru	—	—
Moji	295	4,517
Yuki Maru	—	—
Sea Fishing	80	—
Chinese	—	—
An Shing	—	—
Canton	—	610
Voo Yang	—	—
Canton	—	150
Total	5,121	18,649

ARRIVALS

June 6th.

Empress of Asia, British str., 8,883 tons, Captain A. V. R. Lovegrove, from Shanghai, Kowloon Wharf.—C.P.R.

New Mathilde, British str., 842 tons, Captain D. Thomas, from Canton, buoy No. 85.—Yik Tai & Co.

Kwangtung, British str., 1,572 tons, Captain D. D. Richards, from Swatow, buoy No. B20.—B. & S.

Hydrangea, British str., 561 tons, Captain P. W. Gierston, from Swatow, Chiu On Wharf.—Chiu On & Co.

Tsinan, British str., 2,100 tons, Captain C. H. Jones, from Canton, buoy No. B14.—Butterfield & Swire.

Pronto, Norwegian str., 1,252 tons, Captain S. Larsen, from Hongkong, buoy No. B16.—K. Larsen & Co.

Hal Ching, British str., 1,322 tons, Captain W. B. Patey, from Swatow, Douglas Wharf.—Douglas & Co.

Turbo, British str., 2,878 tons, Captain V. R. Trigg, from Yokohama, Kowloon Dock.—A. P. C.

Hong Peng, British str., 2,525 tons, Captain J. H. Gregory, from Swatow, buoy No. A8.—Ho Thong & Co.

June 5th.

Hal Shang, Chinese str., 2,074 tons, Captain A. Sprenger, from Swatow, C.M.S.N. Wharf.—C.M.S.N. & Co.

Proteus, Norwegian str., 1,025 tons, Captain E. Winsnes, from Bangkok, buoy No. B4.—K. Larsen & Co.

Michigan, American str., 3,474 tons, Captain G. V. Spankie, from Dalren, buoy No. A4.—States & Co.

Lieutenant St. Loubert Bie, French str., 3,460 tons, Captain I. Ficht, from Shanghai, Kowloon Wharf.—M. M. & Co.

Selstan, British str., 1,571 tons, Captain J. Crosthwaite, from Swatow, Douglas Wharf.—Douglas & Co.

Kalapan, British str., 1,246 tons, Captain B. Grimthorpe, from Hongkong, Yau Ma Tei.—Williamson & Co.

June 4th.

American

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Portuguese

Japanese

Chinese

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